WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to strong winds, shifting to southeast; mild, with increasing cloudiness; mist or light rain.
Vancouver and Vicinity—Fresh easterly winds, increasing to strong; cloudy and mild; becoming showery towards night.

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BALKAN CONFERENCE DECIDES NO CHANGE IN ENTENTE STATUS

Rumania Reported to Have Failed to Get Guarantee of Military Support From Partners—Foreign Observers See Little to Be Gained by Four-Power Meeting

BELGRADE, Feb. 2 (AP).—Rumania, facing demands by Germany and the Allies for the lion's share of her oil, tonight was reported to have lost her chance of obtaining guarantees of automatic military support from her neighbors in the Balkan Entente.

After their first meeting behind closed doors, the Foreign Ministers of Rumania, Turkey and Yugoslavia and the Premier of Greece were understood to have decided formally that there would be no change in the present status of the Entente.

Observers believed this meant that representatives of Yugoslavia, Turkey and Greece had declined Rumania's request for automatic help in the case of an attack by Germany or Russia.

The conferees were reported, however, to have decided to enlarge economic contact between the four nations and to try to maintain economic relations with the belligerent powers on a prewar basis.

GERMAN PRESSURE

Informed sources said Germany was bringing pressure on Rumania to accept a sweeping plan to make Rumania's industries, petroleum production and agricultural affiliates of the Reich's economic structure.

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ARMY FLYERS WRECK TRAIN

French-Operated Rail Line Blasted by Japanese With Many Casualties

SHANGHAI, Feb. 2 (AP).—Japanese bombing planes, renewing raids which have drawn sharp protests from the French Government, blasted again today at the French-operated Hanoi-Kunming Railway, killing or wounding 100 persons as they blasted a northbound passenger train fifty miles inside Chinese territory.

Ten of those killed or hurt in the raid, which wrecked a bridge, destroyed the train and disrupted traffic on the line, were reported to be Occidentals. Many Frenchmen are employed on the railway.

CHINA'S SUPPLY LINE

The meter-gauge railway, which links Kunming, capital of Yunnan Province, with the French Indo-China port of Haiphong, by way of Hanoi, is a vital supply line for the Chinese. The Japanese air force has been blasting at it since late last year, when the Japanese army drove into Kwangsi Province, Southwest China, established air bases there and carried their Rising Sun flag to the Indo-China border.

PASSENGERS BURNED

Twenty-seven planes were reported to have taken part in the raid. Some of the train passengers were said to have been severely burned by steam from the wrecked engine.

A number of British seamen from the gunboats Gannet and Falcon, who were aboard a southbound train near the scene of the bombing, aided in the rescue work. The sailors were en route to the coast for home duty after lying up their ships, units of the British Navy's Yangtze River patrol, at Chungking, the Chinese capital.

REPORTS CREWS HELD BY NAZIS

Press Association Says Men Of British Submarines German Prisoners

LONDON, Feb. 3 (CP).—The Press Association said today it was understood that the entire crews of the sunken British submarines Starfish and Undine were accounted for and were prisoners in Germany.

The Starfish and Undine were destroyed in Heligoland Bight on January 15. The Admiralty has listed the crew of the Starfish as five officers and thirty-four men, and the Undine's as four officers and twenty-six men.

STILL MISSING

The British submarine Seahorse also was lost in the Bight on the same occasion. Nothing has been said about the rescue of its crew of five officers and thirty-four men.

A German source said on January 18 that four officers and twenty-six men had been saved from two submarines.

Since then "Lord Haw-Haw," who broadcasts in English from German stations, has given names in driblets, while anxious relatives of the missing men sat by radios in this country each night.

In addition to those named in German broadcasts, others have sent postcards home saying they are prisoners.

London Had Coldest Day January 20

LONDON, Feb. 2 (CP).—Now it can be told:

Today the censor made it permissible to disclose that Saturday, January 20, was the coldest day in London in fifty-nine years.

Temperatures dipped to twelve degrees above zero Fahrenheit. It was the coldest day since 1881, when the temperature dropped to nine above.

Censorship is imposed on weather news to prevent the enemy obtaining information which might be useful.

RUSSIANS SHELL ESTONIAN PLANE

Aircraft Lands Undamaged but Shells Fall in Streets of The Capital

TALLINN, Estonia, Feb. 2 (CP-Havas).—The Estonian news agency said tonight the Estonian Government has protested to Moscow against gunfire by Russian warships in this harbor this morning directed at an Estonian plane.

The Russian ships, the agency said, had advance notice of the plane's flight.

The ships stopped their fire when Estonian military authorities intervened. The plane, whose flight coincided with practice fire by Estonian anti-aircraft batteries, landed undamaged. Some of the Soviet shells fell in the streets of the capital, but did not explode.

QUEEN VISITS REFUGEES

LONDON, Feb. 2 (CP).—The Queen today met and chatted with Polish refugees when she visited the clothes depot of the Polish relief fund at Belgrade Square. The Queen was received by the Dowager Countess of Granville.

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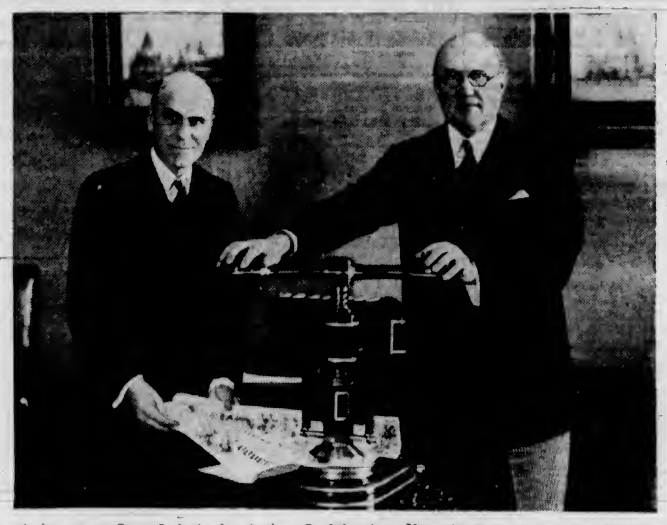
First Use of Canada's New Great Seal



Canada has a new Great Seal, the fourth since Confederation. Upon the death of a reigning Sovereign a new seal is made bearing the figure and name of the succeeding Monarch. The new Great Seal, bearing the figure of King George VI, is being used for the first time, above, as Dr. E. H. Coleman, left, Under Secretary of State, assists Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Acting Secretary of State, to impress the new Great Seal on the parchment appointing Dr. Henry Laureys, High Commissioner for Canada to the Union of South Africa.

Toll of Civilians Taken in Poland In the Millions

"World Declaration" Concerning Atrocities Following Nazi Conquest Expected to Be Made by Governments of Great Britain and France—Reports Furnished Above Suspicion

LONDON, Feb. 2 (CP-Havas).—Nazi firing squads, starvation and disease have taken a toll of between 2,000,000 and 5,000,000 Polish civilians since the German invasion of Poland last September, the British and French Governments have been informed by competent sources.

Sensational reports from neutral observers, whose identity must remain secret for the duration of the war, will form the basis of a "world declaration" expected to be made by the Allied Governments, Havas News Agency was informed tonight.

The declaration is expected to pledge that drastic punishment will be meted out at conclusion of the war to the German leaders responsible for the atrocities in Poland. It was understood consultations now are under way between London and Paris on the text of the declaration.

ABOVE SUSPICION

Authoritative British and French quarters said the neutral sources furnishing reports on the situation in Poland are above suspicion. They said the estimates of the number of civilian deaths in Poland since last

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FINNS ON THEIR WAY HOME FROM CANADA

MONTREAL, Feb. 2 (CP).—Fifty-seven Finns, three of them women, left Montreal tonight for New York on their way home to aid their country against the Russian invaders.

Some were Montreal residents, but most of them came here from Northern Ontario mining districts—Sudbury, Kirkland Lake and South Porcupine.

The group made up what was believed to be the largest contingent of Finnish volunteers to leave Canada.

MEN KILLED IN THE LIFEBOATS

Nazi Raiders Rake Those Carrying Crews From Bombed Ship

LONDON, Feb. 2 (CP). — With thirty-eight crewmen lost aboard the 4,751-ton Cardiff vessel Polzella, and twenty-two reported dead as a result of a violent Nazi air attack against the 4,364-ton Newcastle ship Royal Crown, sixty names were added tonight to the mounting toll of the dead at sea.

The Polzella, the Admiralty said, was overdue and presumed lost.

The Royal Crown, which ran aground after it was bombed and machine-gunned by German airmen Tuesday night, was still blazing tonight. Men of Britain's auxiliary fire service went into action to save as much of the wreck as possible.

RAKE LIFEBOATS

Twenty-two members of the Royal Crown lost their lives when Nazi raiders raked two lifeboats filled with thirty-seven men.

Authoritative British sources tonight denied reports broadcast by the German radio that the British steamship Oregon, 6,008 tons, had been torpedoed 140 miles off La Coruna, Spain.

Oslo dispatches said the 1,085-ton Norwegian ship Varild, en route to England, had been unreported for some days and was feared lost. The ship left Norway, January 22, and carried a crew of fifteen.

CLAIMS MAIL PROBE LEGAL

France Supports British View on Right to Search Neutral Parcels

PARIS, Feb. 2 (AP).—The French Blockade Ministry today supported Britain's view that the Allies are within their rights in examining neutral mails and asserted that the procedure had blocked an organized Nazi effort to send large quantities of money and foodstuffs to Germany from the United States.

Within the last three months, the Ministry said, approximately $8,000,000 worth of contraband "exported by Nazi agents in the United States" has been extracted from parcels and letters.

In addition, United States mail has yielded $10,000 in bills, £15,000 ($66,750) in British currency, and cheques amounting to $425,000 destined for Germany, the Ministry said.

FALSE LABELS

Much of the contraband was found in containers bearing labels such as "stained glass." The goods seized also included a heavy traffic in foodstuffs labeled "commercial samples."

The extent of the seizures was disclosed in a communique which said that the Allied Contraband Control had acted in strict conformity with international law and historical precedents.

Allied procedure was contrasted with German methods, which, the communique said, consisted of torpedoing neutral boats without warning in violation of international law.

CO-OPERATION IS PREDICTED

Britain and Italy Expected To Help Keep Balkan Neutrality

LONDON, Feb. 2 (CP).—British-Italian co-operation in helping to maintain Balkan neutrality was predicted by informed observers tonight, as it was learned that Balkan questions occupied Foreign Minister Viscount Halifax and the Italian Ambassador, Giuseppe Bastianini, during a long conference yesterday.

Italian concern appeared to stem from fear of Soviet penetration into Southeastern Europe.

The Rumanian Legation tonight issued a denial of reports that Rumania had presented "threats" jeopardizing the harmony of the Entente conference. The denial read:

"The Royal Rumanian Legation in London, on instructions received directly from Belgrade, strongly denies that Rumania has presented the Balkan conference with a threat leading up to the breaking of the harmony of that conference, as was reported by those who wish to interfere with the friendly spirit which obviously prevailed at today's meeting."

Manion Would Merge Groups for Selecting National Candidates

Conservative Leader Suggests People of All Parties Get Together in Centres Where Nominations Are Yet to Be Held

OTTAWA, Feb. 2 (CP).—The Conservative leader, Hon. R. J. Manion, will open his election campaign in Brockville, Ont., where he will speak in support of Hon. H. A. Stewart, Conservative candidate seeking re-election in Leeds, on February 8, after which he will hold a series of meetings in the Prairie Provinces and British Columbia, it was announced tonight from Dr. Manion's office.

The Western itinerary has not been completed, but probably will be announced next week, Dr. J. M. Robb, Conservative organizer, said committees to arrange for speakers supporting Dr. Manion will be set up in each province, working in co-operation with a central committee in Ottawa.

ISSUES STATEMENT

In a statement issued Wednesday, Dr. Manion said: "I suggest most respectfully that in those constituencies throughout Canada where nominations have not been made for the coming election, that the National Conservative party make a patriotic endeavor to get together the people of all groups at open conventions with the object of exploring the possibility of naming some loyal, able, high type of citizen, of whatever party, as candidate."

Several conventions are being planned for next week and the week following, but party officials here stated it is too soon to say to what extent the conventions are open to voters outside the Conservative party. Last year about ninety Conservative candidates were chosen, leaving 155 yet to be selected if every constituency is to be contested.

REJECTED PILOTS GOING TO FINLAND

Canadians Volunteer to Serve—Twelve Secure Permits to Proceed to Finnish Front

TORONTO, Feb. 2 (CP).—Twelve Canadian aviators, rejected by the Royal Canadian Air Force, today signed visa applications at the Finnish Consulate here, and will leave Monday, by way of New York, to join the Finnish Air Force. Their expenses will be paid by Finland.

All the men hold Canadian pilot licences and have extensive commercial aviation experience. None has had military experience.

One of the men, Salter Owen, a native of Walkerton, Ont., said he was turned down for the R.C.A.F. because of bad hearing.

"I can't hear too well, but I have over 600 hours' flying in bush country, and that's what the Finns want," he said.

C. J. McMaster said he was "on call" with the R.C.A.F.

"But they aren't in any hurry apparently, and Finland is—and that's where I'm heading."

Forty Accused of Smuggling Taken

GENOA, Feb. 2 (AP).—Police today arrested forty persons accused of conspiring to smuggle merchandise into Italy aboard Italian liners on American routes and seized fifteen tons of goods they said had been fraudulently imported.

Officials said the alleged smugglers had operated with the aid of agents employed aboard the liners.

REDS POUND MANNERHEIM LINE IN UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT TO CRACK DEFENDER'S RESISTANCE

Parachute Troops Slain by Finnish Sharpshooters Before Reaching Ground — Smoke-Screen Tanks Used in Newest Offensive—Armored Sledges Stopped by Anti-Tank Guns

HELSINGFORS, Feb. 2 (AP).—A bizarre and mighty Red Army attack "in the shape of things to come" tonight sent parachute troops; strange, steel-roofed sledges and smoke screen-laying tanks against the unyielding defences of the Mannerheim Line.

The second day of this almost Wellsian attack, directed at Viborg (Viipuri), an objective twenty miles distant which the Soviet army has been unable to reach in nine weeks of war, got nowhere. Finnish military advices asserted.

DROPPED FROM PLANES

Many of the parachute troops, dropped in coveys from dozens of planes, were picked off in the air by sharpshooters or machine-gun fire. Those who landed behind the Finnish lines became separated from their fellow soldiers, stumbled about and began shooting wildly, only to be captured or killed by the Finns.

They carried automatic rifles to the ground with them.

Meanwhile dozens of Russian tanks again began moving toward the Finnish lines from the Soviet positions at Summa. The larger tanks pushed armored sledges ahead of them. On the flanks, smaller tanks headed rapidly across the snows, billowing smoke columns through which the troops sought to manoeuvre. All the tanks zigzagged in an effort to confuse the Finns.

Finnish anti-tank guns stopped most of the armored sledges and, from concealed positions, they said they were able to repulse the other measures of attack. There was no estimate of casualties.

MOSCOW BROADCASTS

Today, as on previous occasions, the Moscow radio broadcast a declaration, quoting the Communist organ, Pravda, to the effect that

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From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, Feb. 2.—The Balkan Entente conference comprising Turkey, Rumania, Yugoslavia and Greece meets in Belgrade today to discuss relations with the belligerent powers, with neutrals such as Italy and Russia, Hungary and Bulgaria, and also to attempt to arrange some form of trade collaboration.

Hungary, it is known, has now postponed her demands on Rumania for the restoration of territory taken from her after the Great War in the hopes that Yugoslavia will be able to induce the Rumanian Government to accord special treatment to the Hungarian minority in Transylvania.

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Bulgaria also has announced her intention of maintaining her neutrality at all costs—a declaration which has had a stabilizing effect, as the original reason for the Balkan Entente was fear of aggression by Bulgaria, partly due to trouble on the frontier caused by Macedonian terrorists.

The Turkish Foreign Minister now hopes that Bulgaria can be induced to co-operate for peace and security with her neighbors.

The importance of the conference lies in the fact that each Balkan state is threatened from some direction. Italy does not want the formation of a solid block of these states, and Germany is anxious to keep Yugoslavia from collaborating with her neighbors.

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Dealing with Chamberlain's refusal to make further war cabinet changes by the inclusion of a minister of economy charged with directing Britain's economic war effort, The Times editorially says while great improvements have been made in the economic machinery for winning the war, still there is heavy unemployment, unsatisfactory export trade and serious dislocation in some industries.

The lesson of the Great War is against Chamberlain's view, adds the newspaper.

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A report issued by the Polish Government on the German atrocities in Poland sums up conditions as follows: "Massacres and executions, concentration camps, prisons, hostages, forced labor, expulsion of population, extermination of the Polish language and culture, and the destruction of monuments and humiliations imposed on Polish civilians."

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Fresh Russian attacks have been launched against the Mannerheim Line, the enemy using armored sledges and smoke screens. Artillery fire of great intensity preceded the attack which is still proceeding. Considerable opposition to the Finnish war is known to exist in the Russian army and the sternest measures are taken by the Communist commissars to suppress it.

LEAVE WITHOUT PAY FOR MILITARY MEN

OTTAWA, Feb. 2 (CP).—Any member of the Canadian military forces nominated as a candidate in the March 26 general election "will be granted leave of absence without pay for the required period," Hon. Norman Rogers, Minister of National Defence, announced tonight. Such candidates will not wear uniform during this leave.

ANXIOUS FOR NEUTRALITY

Emergency Bill Introduced In Holland Dealing With Foreign Control

THE HAGUE, The Netherlands, Feb. 2 (AP).—Holland's Government, seeking by every means to avoid anything that could be used to question her strict neutrality, introduced an emergency bill in Parliament today by which it hopes to stop Dutch companies from binding themselves to foreign control measures.

The legislation will empower the Ministry of Economic Affairs to decide whether Dutch firms can make declarations or submit to supervision such as is demanded by the British contraband control authorities in blockading shipments to and from The Netherlands which might benefit Germany.

HAD TO ACCEPT CONTROL

Some Dutch companies have had to accept various kinds of British control in order to carry on their business, Government circles said, yet some of these arrangements might work against the best interests of the country as a whole.

(Informed observers interpreted the Dutch Government's measure as a skillful effort to show Germany that it is trying to lessen British contraband control and thus deprive Germany of an opportunity to contend that Holland is "unneutral." The Dutch, on some occasions, have expressed concern over German press charges that Holland has complied too willingly with this control. Instead, the Germans have suggested that Holland defy the contraband measures and make a "test case." It is believed that this entered into The Netherlands' decision to take extreme defence measures against possible invasion last November.)

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Moscow Still Claims War Is To Free People of Finland

Two Dead in Cold Storage Room Blast

SEDRO-WOOLLEY, Wash., Feb. 2 (AP).—Two prominent Sedro-Woolley men were burned fatally late today by a mysterious blast in a cold storage locker room which was being painted with a spray gun, and a third was injured critically.

Loyd Crossman, manager, died about 9 p.m., and Roy Campbell, a painter, died half an hour later. Their clothes were burned off and the concussion tore off their shoes.

Howard Campbell, who was helping his father with the painting, was able to walk from the building, but was reported tonight to have critical back burns.

TEMPEST RAGES IN TOKIO DIET

Army Officers Infuriated by Suggestion Troops Be Moved From China

TOKIO, Feb. 3 (AP).—Parliamentary criticism of the Government's policy in China and a suggestion that troops be withdrawn to pave the way for a negotiated peace drew from infuriated army officers today a charge that the author made "open insults against the objectives of the sacred war in China."

The army leaders met in an emergency session after Takao Saito, veteran member of the Lower House of Parliament, had made the suggestion. He asked the Government to explain the meaning of its programme for a "new order in East Asia."

POLITICAL TEMPEST

A political tempest raged in the Diet over the remarks of Saito, long known as one of the boldest critics of the army.

The full text of his statement was not disclosed since it was stricken from the record. Newspapers merely referred to what were termed objectionable portions of his remarks.

Two minor Rightist parties issued statements demanding Saito's expulsion from the Diet, and after their conference, army leaders decided to send War Minister General Shunrouku Hata to the Lower House today to answer Saito's statement.

Field Marshal Visits Montreal Regiment Training in England

Sir Cyril Deverell Reviews Troops, Speaks With Officers and Men—Sees Fifty-Year-Old Drum of West Yorkshires

ALDERSHOT, England, Feb. 2 (CP).—Field Marshal Sir Cyril Deverell, former chief of the Imperial General Staff, today reviewed the Royal Montreal Regiment, drawn up on their parade ground at the First Canadian Division camp to greet him.

Sir Cyril came as honorary colonel of the Prince of Wales Own West Yorkshire Regiment, with which the R.M.R. is allied.

INSPECTS BATTALION

After taking the general salute, the Field Marshal inspected the battalion, stopping to talk with a number of officers and men who had served with the Canadian forces in the first Great War.

As he passed along the ranks his attention was drawn to the battle-scarred drum which is posted on the right of the battalion's leading file at every ceremonial parade. He discovered it was a fifty-year-old drum which had been carried by the West Yorkshires in many campaigns of the past and presented to the R.M.R. some years ago.

Tonight the Field Marshal was guest of honor at a dinner given by

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FATE OF FRENCH SHIP UNDISCLOSED

No Further Word Comes From Craft After First Distress Call Sent Out

THOMASTON, Me., Feb. 2 (AP).—Fate of an unidentified French ship which radioed it was in trouble approximately 600 miles west of Azores remained undisclosed tonight as several vessels headed for her position.

The American freighters Tulsa and Exmoor and other ships were in the vicinity. The Tulsa reported she was within 100 miles and was proceeding to the scene.

Failing to hear further word of the French craft after the distress call, Mackay Radio said fear of enemy craft might have prevented her from sending further messages.

The ship had given her position as latitude 39 north, longitude 39.30 west.

Archbishop Collapses During Consecration Ceremony at Capital

Aged Prelate Carried From Basilica at Ottawa at Close of Services at Which Bishop Cody Of Victoria Was Speaker

OTTAWA, Feb. 2 (?).—Archbishop Guillaume Forbes, of Ottawa, today consecrated Monsignor Alexandre Vachon, of Quebec, as his coadjutor and successor and collapsed at the altar of his own cathedral.

The aged and ailing prelate left a sickbed a few days ago to prepare for the induction of the younger priest who would relieve him of part of his responsibilities. As the ceremony drew to a close he was carried to his room in an unconscious condition, but revived soon after.

The archbishop was taken to hospital and tonight his doctors reported a distinct improvement in his condition.

BASILICA CROWDED

The Ottawa Basilica was crowded with visiting archbishops, priests, representatives of public bodies, and Catholic laity. As Archbishop Forbes was carried to the sacristy a wave of feeling swept through the crowd, which apparently affected one spectator. Miss Alma Labreche, fifty-five, collapsed in her pew and died shortly afterwards.

Rodrigue Cardinal Villeneuve, Archbishop of Quebec, officiating on the throne, raised his hand in blessing as assisting priests carried Archbishop Forbes from the sanctuary.

One of the younger bishops of Canada, Lieut.-Col. Rt. Rev. Leo Neiligan, Bishop of Pembroke and chief Catholic chaplain of the armed forces of Canada, was assisting Archbishop Forbes and performed the last act of the consecration ritual, placing the mitre on Monsignor Vachon's head.

BISHOP CODY SPEAKS

In a sermon, Bishop John C. Cody, of Victoria, said Monsignor Vachon came from the heart of Quebec to the heart of Canada, the point of contact between the two great cultures of Canada, French and English. He came at a time when Canadians were struggling to free the world from aggression and when conditions in Canada demanded that Catholics work together with Canadians of other persuasions to "procure for the working classes that genuine social justice without which, sooner or later, subversive elements are bound to obtain the upper hand."

Archbishop Vachon is a distinguished scientist and scholar. He leaves the position of rector of Laval University, Quebec, to assume his high administrative office.

Rt. Rev. Joseph Charbonneau, Bishop of Hearts, Ont., who served as vicar-general of the Archdiocese of Ottawa prior to his present appointment, joined with Bishop Neiligan in assisting Archbishop Forbes.

PRELATES PRESENT

Other prelates present included Monsignor Hildebrando Antoniutti, apostolic delegate to Canada; Archbishops MacDonald, of Edmonton, and Monahan, of Regina; Rt. Rev. Basil Ladyka, national bishop of Ukrainians; Mgr. A. Leblanc, apostolic prefect of Urawa, Japan; Mgr. A. Turguetti, apostolic vicar of Hudson Bay.

The Dominion Government was represented by Rt. Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice; Hon. C. G. Power, Postmaster-General; the Pensions Minister, Hon. Ian Mackenzie; Works Minister, Hon. P. J. A. Cardin, and Fisheries Minister, Hon. J. E. Michaud.

Hon. Dr. R. J. Manion, leader of the National Conservative party, attended.

AWARDED CONTRACT

PORT ARTHUR, Feb. 2 (CP).—Port Arthur Shipbuilding Company has been given contract for eight ships of the submarine chaser or whale-catcher type, each to be 190 feet long and cost approximately $500,000.

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SUN SHINES ON GROUNDHOG DAY

Old Legend Has It That Cold Weather is Still To Come

After ten hours of continuous bright sunshine yesterday, any who believe in the old legend of the groundhog must feel apprehensive as to what the clerk of the weather has in store for Victoria.

Yesterday was "groundhog day," and if there were any groundhogs here, one look at the weather would have sent them scurrying back into hiding, to hibernate for another month. The legend has it that if the groundhog seess his shadow on emerging from seclusion, there will be another month of Winter; if he doesn't, the Winter is over and he remains above ground.

Naturalists say there are no groundhogs here, so perhaps the legend does not apply to Victoria. Certainly there was no indication last night, either in the look of the sky or in the official weather forecast, of anything but fine weather to come. The Meteorological Observatory predicted a light frost, and said that cloudy skies were possible today.

There was a trace of frost on the ground in the low-lying parts of the district early yesterday, but bright sunshine quickly dispelled it, and it was more like a day in May than in early February.

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The first reaction to the Government's measure came from the Socialist newspaper, Het Volk. It commented the bill would not help Dutch-British negotiations in London which are intended to find some way of relieving the pressure of contraband control on Dutch business.

The measure, however, is expected to become law next week.

Officials said the new authority would be used whenever, in the opinion of the Government, foreign control of any Dutch enterprise would work to the detriment of the needs of the Dutch people.

Up to now the Government has resisted hardships imposed by the British-German economic phase of the war only by diplomatic means. Protests have been made to both London and Berlin against delays in Dutch shipping and The Hague has refused to concede Britain's right to seize exports from Dutch ships which originated in Germany. It also was complained that belligerent contraband lists cover too many articles.

SERIOUS HARDSHIPS

From the standpoint of purely material loss to Holland, the war has brought serious hardships. Shipowners and exporters alike have suffered losses by the almost complete stoppage of transshipment traffic from Germany imposed by the British export blockade.

Holland's own exports to Germany, normally her best customer, have been heavily reduced because of the British policy of restricting raw materials entering Holland to strict home needs, with no surplus to convert into goods for Germany.

TOLL OF CIVILIANS IN THE MILLIONS

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September 1 vary between a low of 2,000,000 and a high of 5,000,000.

The tragic figures are explained by the drastic stand taken by German officials in Poland. It was said that on October 7, 1939, Hans Frank, German Governor-General of Poland, issued an order stating all Poles must submit to German authority. "Wer sich nicht fught ist verloren" (who will not submit is lost), the Governor-General's order concluded. Two weeks earlier Arthur Greiser, statthalter for Posen and gauleiter of the Warthe district, declared: "We have come as masters and the Poles must be our slaves."

ORDERS TO KILL

Early in October, it was learned, German authorities in the conquered territory issued orders to all police and army officials to shoot:

All Poles who took part in the uprisings of 1918 and 1919 in Posen, Pomerania and Silesia; all Poles who during the present war or just previous to it participated in any act which led to imprisonment of a German or who directly or indirectly approved the imprisonment; all Poles who escorted Germans to internment camps; all Poles who set fire to their homes or crops, and all Poles who directly or indirectly opposed Germans or German enterprises.

In addition the orders, it is stated, doomed all Polish officials accused of an anti-German attitude—this applied to an overwhelming majority of all Polish officials—all intellectuals ,such as newspapermen and writers whose attitude was anti-German and all civilians who directly or indirectly took part in military or semi-military operations.

EXTREME CRUELTY

German officials exercised extreme cruelty in carrying out this order, it was charged. When the murder of a German soldier or civilian was reported, all Poles nearest to the scene of the crime were rounded up and shot without any attempt to pass judgment on their guilt or innocence. In the Posen district ten Poles usually were executed for the murder of one German, and in Warsaw the ratio was fifty to one. But even these figures were exceeded in some instances.

One incident, reported by an eyewitness who is a neutral railway official, took place in a suburb of Warsaw, where two German officers, notorious for their brutal treatment of Polish civilians, were murdered. The Gestapo rounded up 300 Poles residing in the vicinity. The Poles were herded into a narrow enclosure and their machine guns were turned on them. About 100 were killed instantly and most of the others were wounded. The enclosure then was blocked up and the dead and wounded were left lying in a heap for nine days. At the end of that period all 300 of them were dead.

PRIESTS ARRESTED

Almost all the Catholic priests in Poland have been arrested and sentenced to imprisonment at hard labor. All intellectuals who have not been shot have been discharged and no one is permitted to hire them unless they agree to become German propaganda agents.

The entire nation is rationed, but ration cards are not given to Poles opposed to the invaders. They are driven from their homes and herded into the restricted ghettos created by the Geramns in Central Poland, where most of them are without food or shelter. The heavy toll taken by famine and disease in these ghettos has contributed to a great extent in wiping out what is estimated at between one-fifteenth and one-seventh of the population of prewar Poland.

Assizes to Open Here on March 11 With Four Cases

Two cases of murder, one of manslaughter and one of unlawful wounding are listed for trial at the Spring Assizes, which will open here on March 11.

Wallis Parnell Johnson and Helen A. "Nellie" Anderson stand charged with the murder of Chiyeko Nagano, Japanese.

William Gordon Vance is to stand trial on a charge of manslaughter involving the death of Loy Hoy, Chinese.

William C. Fletcher will be tried on a charge of unlawfully wounding Jack Humphries.

New Great Seal of Canada

This is the new Great Seal of Canada, the fourth since Confederation, bearing the figure of King George VI, robed, crowned and seated upon the Throne with orb and sceptre, and with the Arms of Canada. Upon the death of a reigning Sovereign, a new seal is made, bearing the figure and name of the succeeding Monarch.

WILL REGULATE TALLYHO TRADE

Provincial Utilities Commission Brings Down Regulations for March 1

Commencing March 1, sightseeing buses in the Greater Victoria area will come directly under the Public Utilities Commission for regulation, Dr. W. A. Carrothers said yesterday. A definite schedule of fares and a code of practices have been worked out, to which all tourists-carrying agencies of the city will be expected to adhere.

The open competition of other years, Dr. Carrothers said, had led to practices injurious to the tourist industry, and to the city itself. To curb that, regulations have now been competed governing the conditions under which sightseeing businesses may be operated, and providing for revision of advertising in that connection.

Three sightseeing firms and a score of private passenger cars operated as tourist taxis will be effected by the regulations, which come into effect at the end of this month as part of the new Motor Carriers Act. One price will be fixed for the same route in all operations, Dr. Carrothers explained.

RED OFFENSIVE UNSUCCESSFUL

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the Red army will "fulfill its duty for the liberation of the Finnish people from their White Guardists under Mannerheim." (Field Marshal Baron Mannerheim, commander-in-chief of the Finnish armies.)

Today's broadcast was quoted as saying the Helsingfors Government would be "destroyed" as an enemy of "the working people of Finland."

The Isthmus attack, a frontal smash at the Mannerheim Line, had another purpose—to relieve disorganized and stalled Soviet divisions which attempted to flank the line north of Lake Ladoga, but succeeded, the Finns say, merely in working themselves into dangerous pockets.

REDS RESUME RAIDS

HELSINGFORS, Feb. 3 (AP).—More than a score of civilians were killed in a series of severe Russian air raids on Southern Finland yesterday.

Pori, on the southwest coast, was one of the centres heaviest hit with ten dead and dozens wounded there. One person was killed at Rauma, also on the southwest coast.

Several were killed at Pieksaemaki and heavy damage was inflicted on Kotaka and Kuopio, ports on the Gulf of Finland. One church was badly damaged by the raiders.

A number of Red Army bombers were shot down just outside Helsingfors.

At Pori one bomb fell squarely through a red cross painted on the roof of an eight-story hospital.

Finnish officials gave orders recently for the removal of all Red Cross emblems, saying they had been the target of constant attacks, but the Pori hospital had not yet complied, choosing to wait the decision of the international headquarters of the Red Cross at Geneva.

The hospital lies in a suburban area. A squadron of some eighteen planes dropped tons of bombs on its premises and set fire to a nurses' dormitory nearby. Heavy casualties were avoided because a number of patients had made their way into a basement bomb shelter before the attack.

Favorable weather conditions brought out an unusual number of Soviet air squadrons.

Hundreds of incendiary and high explosive bombs were dropped across the country.

STRIKE SETTLED

BROCKVILLE, Ont., Feb. 2 (CP).—A week-old strike of approximately 300 employees of the Phillips Electrical Works, Ltd., has been settled, it was announced today, and the employees will return to work Monday.

COUNCILLOR CALLS REEVE A TURNCOAT

Saanich Council Argues Question of Policy in Stormy Session

MINOR APPOINTMENT SUBJECT OF DISPUTE

Divided on a question of policy concerning the engagement of an employee, the Saanich Council had a stormy session last night, when reached a climax when Councillor E. C. Warren heatedly accused Reeve A. G. Lambrick of being a turncoat and false to his platform laid down in his election campaign against ex-Reeve William Crouch.

The question under consideration was the engagement of a junior clerk for the office, and the council had narrowed its choice down to two girls—one an inexperienced girl, apart from three weeks' work in the council office last year, who had lived in Saanich all her life; the other, an experienced clerk who had lived in the municipality for less than a year.

Declaring that he stood for efficiency in the office, Councillor J. R. Scoby pointed out that the council would have to pay the same salary to an inexperienced girl as to an experienced clerk.

REEVE STATES OPINION

When Councillor Scoby questioned the necessity for the whole council to have to decide upon the appointment, Reeve Lambrick declared that it was his view in the hiring of an office clerk the selection should be left to a committee of practical men, accustomed to office work. This statement prompted an outburst from Councillor Warren.

"This year my experience has been that the reeve has proved one of the biggest turncoats I have ever known," he exclaimed. "He makes this statement after he fought on the council with me for the very system that we are now trying to uphold," he added, referring to his earlier contention that all appointments should be made by the council as a whole.

"That's absolutely untrue," Reeve Lambrick replied. "I have always opposed having the whole council sit on the appointment of an employee."

"You're lying!" shouted Councillor Warren. "I'm not!" the reeve returned.

Turning to Councillor L. C. Hagan, Councillor Warren asked: "Is my statement correct?"

Councillor Hagan—I think it is. The reeve says men of ability should make the choice. I object to that; we are selected to carry on the people's business, whether we are pig breeders or whatever.

"HEIGHT OF FOOLISHNESS"

Reeve Lambrick repeated his contention that the selection of office staff should be left to councillors who had office experience.

"I go further, and say that the municipal clerk is the man to choose his own staff," declared Councillor Scoby. "If at the end of the year the appointment proves unsatisfactory, you can blame the clerk. It's the height of foolishness for seven or eight grown men to sit in council and waste hours in choosing a junior clerk. I'm not mad; I'm just amused at it."

Councillor Warren—The people are satisfied with our policy. They believe that their boys and girls have a chance now that they never had before.

Councillor George Austin declared that the policy the council had previously endorsed was that no matter what position was to be filled, the vacancy was to be advertised in the press. He maintained that that was the only proper policy to follow.

"I have never objected to it," the reeve said.

DID NOT ADVERTISE

A second storm broke when Councillor L. H. Passmore asked the reeve, who is chairman of the police commission, whether that body had advertised for the new policeman recently engaged.

The reeve replied that the commission had not done so.

"Then since you have been in office you have departed from the policy definitely laid down," asserted Councillor Passmore.

"Was the appointment decided by the members of the commission, or did you take it upon yourself to put the policeman on the force?" inquired Councillor Warren.

"Yes—temporarily," Reeve Lambrick replied.

"Then I repeat that you are the biggest turncoat I have ever known. You have gone back on everything you were going to do when you fought Reeve Crouch," exclaimed Councillor Warren.

"Is that so!" said the reeve.

Heated argument, with most of the councillors shouting at once, ensued, ending when Councillor Austin, declaring that "we're sitting here like a pack of fools," demanded that a vote should be taken on the two candidates for the position.

The result of the ballot upheld the policy referred to by Councillor Warren, the appointment being given, by 5 votes to 3, to the inexperienced girl.

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SHIPYARDS GET WAR CONTRACTS

Canadian Firms to Construct Forty-Six Anti-Submarine Craft for Government

OTTAWA, Feb. 2 (CP).—Additional orders for units of the fleet of forty-six steel anti-submarine craft being constructed in Canada for the Canadian and British navies have been given shipyards in Kingston, Collingwood and Port Arthur, it was learned tonight.

These orders will have an approximate value of $10,000,000, which is in addition to orders given Quebec yards announced earlier this week, amounting to $13,200,000.

Total value of the forty-six vessels to be constructed was placed at approximately $25,000,000 when the building plan was first announced, but it is believed the final cost will go above that amount, and that several of these boats will be built on the Pacific Coast and possibly some on the Atlantic.

STEEL CONSTRUCTION

These boats are of steel construction, 193 feet in length. They will be armed with guns, torpedo tubes and depth charge throwers.

Designed after the "whale catcher" type of anti-submarine craft used in the Royal Navy, the new vessels will be divided between the Canadian and British navies.

Delivery of these craft is expected to start about next November. Completion of the orders is expected in 1941.

In addition to these craft, contracts are expected to be granted shortly for a large fleet of small auxiliary craft for the Royal Canadian Air Force, including salvage boats, tenders and lighters, and for twenty-eight mine sweepers, for which tenders will be opened next week.

Italian Pictures Now in New York Safely Guarded

Ten tons was the combined weight of the great Italian paintings and sculptures, plus packing materials and crating, which arrived recently in New York City. These magnificent works compose the exhibition of Italian masters, to be shown at the Museum of Modern Art, New York, until March 24.

There are twenty-one paintings by masters of the Renaissance and Baroque periods, such as Raphael, Botticelli, Titian, Tintoretto and others of almost equal fame. Michelangelo's name is the most celebrated of the seven sculptors represented in the exhibition; it will be the first time that any of his sculptures will have been shown in New York.

So great is the value of these masterpieces, lent by the Royal Italian Government, that several armed guards constantly watch over them night and day, and even travel in the baggage car with them. The paintings and sculptures traveled to New York from Chicago in a special baggage car attached to the Commodore-Vanderbilt express passenger train which usually carries no baggage.

The exhibition, which was brought to this country a year ago, was shown first at the world's fair in San Francisco, but has just been on view at the Art Institute in Chicago.

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FIELD MARSHAL VISITS REGIMENT

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officers of the regiment. On Sir Cyril's right sat Brigadier C. B. Price, now commander of the Canadian Third Infantry Brigade and commander of the Royal Montreal Regiment at the time the alliance with the West Yorkshires was approved by the King.

Other visitors to the division today were inspectors for the Royal Artillery and Royal Engineers. After a tour of the units they complimented Major-General A. G. L. McNaughton, general officer commanding the Canadian Active Service Corps, on the smart appearance of the Canadian artillerymen and engineers and expressed satisfaction at the general progress of training.

Legion Attends Funeral Service

COBBLE HILL, Feb. 2.—Funeral services for Eustes Clifford Nightingale, who passed away on Sunday, were held at St. John's, Cobble Hill, on Wednesday afternoon, with Rev. E. M. Willis officiating. The church was filled with sympathizing friends, including members of the Malahat Branch of the Canadian Legion. A large number of floral tributes were received. Following the committal service, the Legion ritual was conducted at the graveside by Lieut.-Col. F. T. Oldham. The pallbearers were: D. Alexander, C. Blake, J. S. R. Green, W. May, R. B. Moulton and W. Bartlett. Funeral arrangements were in charge of the Davis Funeral Service, Duncan.

William J. Youd Called by Death

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, Feb. 2.—The death occured on Thursday, at the Duncan Hospital, of William J. Youd, of Shawnigan Lake, aged sixty-three. Mr. Youd was born in London, England, and came to Canada many years ago. Coming to British Columbia with his family from Fillmore, Saskatchewan, he lived for a year at Cobble Hill, moving to Shawnigan Lake about three months ago. He is survived by three children, Ralph, Elsie and James, all at home.

DIES AT CUMBERLAND

CUMBERLAND, Feb. 2.—James Hannay, forty-four-year-old miner employed at No. 5 Mine of the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir), Ltd., died at his work this morning. He leaves a wife and two sons, Cecil and James; four brothers, Jack, of Cumberland; William and Thomas, of Victoria, and George, of Vancouver.

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

ON HIS WAY TO ENGLAND

Principal in Panay Incident Visitor in Victoria During Week

Among distinguished travelers arriving in Victoria during the week was Vice-Admiral Reginald V. Holt, C.B., D.S.O., R.N., who is on his way to England. He came in from Hongkong, and was formerly in command of the Yangtze Patrol, which since the beginning of the present war has been considerably reduced in number of ships and personnel, and is now in charge of a Royal Navy captain. While here Admiral Holt called on Commodore V. G. Brodeur, R.C.N., and met a number of Royal Canadian Navy officers.

Recently promoted from Rear-Admiral to Vice-Admiral, Reginald Vesey Holt was somewhat spectacularly identified with the rescue of the United States gunboat Panay's crew when their ship was sunk by Japanese bombers on the Upper Yangtze two years ago. Admiral Holt defied the Japanese, who ordered him not to approach the stricken vessel. He directed the British gunboat Bee to the rescue of the Panay's men, and subsequently he was honored by the United States Government, which conferred the American Distinguished Service Medal on him.

In Honolulu a short time ago he was warmly welcomed by United States citizens, who gave him a great ovation and provided a banquet in his honor.

Vice-Admiral Holt became a rear-admiral in 1936, and for some time prior to 1930 was captain in charge of Bermuda dockyard. In 1931 he was chief of staff and maintenance captain to the commander-in-chief at The Nore, and for a time was commander of H.M.S. Shropshire and captain of the Royal Naval College at Dartmouth.

VISITORS ARE HERE

Other visitors to Victoria during the week were Dr. J. Cameron, Peiping, and Leonard Laffan, Singapore. Dr. Cameron, who is connected with the Rockefeller Foundation Medical College in the Chinese city, has had some strange experiences since the beginning of the "Chinese incident." He has several times been under "protective arrest" by the Japanese while aiding Chinese wounded. Here on his way to the United States, Dr. Cameron expressed the hope that he would be accepted for service in the Allied cause, as he intended to apply.

Mr. Laffan, who has been in the public works service in Malaya, came to British Columbia with his wife and family and intended to stop for a while at Vancouver, but having heard so much about Victoria's beauties and climate en route, he has decided to stay for a while and may remain for the duration of the war.

FROM HONGKONG

C. W. Giffen, of The South China Morning Post, expects to spend his six months' furlough in Victoria. He arrived here during the week to join his wife, and will return to Hongkong on completion of his holiday. He expects to visit with John Shaw, now of Victoria, but for a time engaged in newspaper work in Britain's Far East port.

ANNOUNCE TRANSFER

Y. Taoka, for some time Northwest manager of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha's offices in Seattle, yesterday received cable advices from Tokio, according to Harry Douglas, local agent of the line, transferring him to San Francisco. Taoka, who came from London scarcely a year ago, will be succeeded at Seattle by Tomokata Hasegawa, now resident representative of the company at Lima, Peru. At San Francisco, Mr. Taoka will succeed K. C. Takahashi, who has been transferred to Kobe, Japan.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Harry Douglas, Victoria general agent of the Great Northern Railway, left for Seattle last evening to attend the annual parley of Great Northern passenger men at the Mayflower Hotel over the week-end. Today, William Harold, city ticket agent, will join Mr. Douglas in the Puget Sound city, and join in the deliberations and festivities which feature the annual function.

IN WAKE OF SANTA MARIA

Harvard University Professor Learns That Columbus Was Great Navigator

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP).—Eight modern prototypes of Christopher Columbus, who, on a four-month 10,000-mile voyage retraced parts of the route taken by the Santa Maria, Nina and Pinta, arrived today convinced that as a dead-reckoning navigator Columbus has few equals.

Professor Samuel Elliott Morison, of the Harvard University department of history, head of the expedition, his wife, Capt. John W. McElroy, Boston; Clifton W. Anderson, expedition surgeon, and four members of the crew returned on the United Fruit liner Veragua from Kingston, Jamaica, where their exploratory voyage ended.

The expedition of twenty members sailed last September on the 100-foot ketch Capitania, named for the flagship of Columbus' third voyage, and the sailing vessel Mary Otis.

They dropped anchor first at the Azores, then visited Lisbon and headed south for Huelva, the Spanish port from which Columbus embarked on his first voyage. Then the expedition put in at Porto Santo, and the Canary Islands.

On the Western voyage the two vessels touched at Trinidad, followed the Central South American Coast as far as Honduras and crossed the Caribbean to complete the voyage at Kingston.

The voyagers were guided by old manuscripts and records of Columbus' routes across the Atlantic. Their findings will go into the archives of "Columbus, Seaman and Discoverer."

"The voyage proved that Columbus was a very great seaman and navigator," said Morison.

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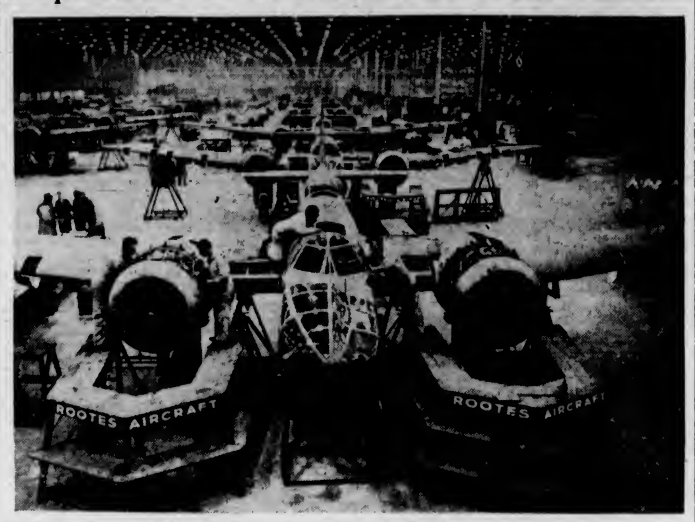

The Rootes Government Airframe Factory "somewhere in England" is turning out a steady stream of fighting aircraft. In this picture bomber after bomber is seen coming through the main assembly shop in various stages of completion. In the foreground fitters are seen putting the finishing touches to one of these formidable airplanes.

Plane With Five Americans Aboard Is Reported Safe

RIO DE JANEIRO, Feb. 2 (AP).—Word was received here today that a missing plane with five Americans aboard had made a forced landing at Lagoa Mangeira due to a fuel shortage.

The Government Press Department announced it had received a telegram from Porto Alegre that the plane, unreported for two days, was expected to reach that Brazilian port today.

NEGOTIATIONS OPENED FOR AIR ROUTE FROM U.S. TO SCANDINAVIA

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 (AP).—Preliminary negotiations for a North Atlantic air mail route from the United States to Scandinavia opened at the State Department today with representatives of Sweden, Norway, Denmark and Finland.

The Scandinavian representatives asked American permission and cooperation in establishing an air route which would start in Norway north of the combat area and go to Iceland, then probably to Newfoundland and thence to the United States.

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Part cloudy; south-southeast, 29.76; 46; light swell.

LENNARD ISLAND—Part cloudy; southeast, moderate; 29.72; choppy.

PACHENA—Part cloudy; southeast, moderate; 29.72; 46; moderate chop.

CAPEMANAH—Cloudy; east, light; 29.73; light swell.

CAPE BEALE—Part cloudy; southeast, light; 29.75; light chop.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria for Vancouver daily at 1.55 p.m. Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive Victoria from Vancouver daily at 3.10 p.m. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave Victoria for Vancouver daily at 12 midnight. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive Victoria from Vancouver daily at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 4.30 p.m. Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive Victoria daily from Seattle at 7.15 p.m. Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9.15 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Seattle at 8.35 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 9.15 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8.35 a.m.

SALT SPRING ISLAND—Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay daily for Fulford Harbor at 9.30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily at 8.15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10.30 a.m. Tuesdays for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 6.30 p.m. Mondays.

WEST COAST—Ss. Princess Norah or Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for Port Alice and West Coast points of Vancouver Island on the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

NANAIMO-GABRIOLA — Ms. Airevida will leave Canadian Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo daily (except Wednesdays), at 8.45 a.m. for Gabriola.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily (except Saturdays and Sundays) for Vancouver at 7.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. Saturdays only 7.30 a.m., 2.30 p.m. and 8.15 p.m. Sundays only, 3.45 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo daily (except Saturdays and Sundays) at 1.20 p.m. and 8.30 p.m. Saturdays only, 1.20 and 8.30 p.m. Sundays only, 1.20 p.m. and 11.15 p.m.

SIDNEY-ANACORTES—Black Ball Ferry steamer will leave Sidney for Anacortes daily at 2 p.m. Black Ball Ferry steamer will arrive Sidney daily from Anacortes at 1 p.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—The Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m., 5 p.m. Ms. Cascade will leave Mill Bay at 9.20 a.m., 10.20 a.m., 2.20 p.m., 3.20 p.m., 4.20 p.m., 5.20 p.m. Ms. Cascade will make one additional trip on Sundays and Mondays only, leaving Brentwood at 11 a.m. and Mill Bay at 11.20 a.m.

FOUND BOARD SYMPATHETIC

British Columbia Shipbuilders Believe Contracts Will Come to Coast

VANCOUVER, Feb. 2 (CP).—Clarence Wallace, president of the Burrard Drydock Company, and A. C. Burdick, president of the Pacific Salvage Company, said today next Tuesday is the likely date for the War Supply Board to announce shipbuilding contracts for British Columbia.

Wallace, recently returned from Ottawa, said: "Our greatest difficulty has been to explain to the War Supply Board the reasons for higher building costs on the Pacific Coast.

"We found the board very sympathetic. They gave British Columbia shipbuilders every consideration."

Wallace added that Premier T. D. Pattullo "stepped in at Ottawa at just the right time" to take part in the discussions with the board.

CAN FLY FLAG OF COMMODORE

Naval Officer Commanding Atlantic Coast Division Receives High Honor

OTTAWA, Feb. 2 (CP).—Defence Minister Rogers announced today the appointment as commodore (first class) of the Royal Canadian Navy, while holding his present appointment, of Captain Howard E. Reid, of Halifax. Commodore Reid is commanding officer of the Atlantic Coast.

A commodore in the navy ranks with a brigadier in the army and an air commodore in the air force, he is entitled to fly a "broad pennant" as his proper flag. This is a swallow-tailed flag of white, bearing a red St. George's Cross.

Commodore Reid was born at Portage du Fort, Quebec, in 1897 and was educated at Ashbury College, Ottawa. He joined the Royal Naval College of Canada as a naval cadet in 1914 and for three and three-quarter years served with ships of the Royal Navy during the first Great War.

Commodore Reid is very well known in Victoria, having served on Royal Canadian naval vessels based at Esquimalt.

HAD SWEEP TICKETS

VANCOUVER, Feb. 2 (CP).—James Towler was fined $250 by Magistrate H. S. Wood in police court yesterday when convicted of distributing sweepstakes tickets. Detectives Rex Moore and William Veitch said they seized 345 sweepstake stubs and 429 unsold tickets in a raid on a Fairview district residence.

Member Appointed To Halibut Board By U.S. President

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 (AP).—President Roosevelt has appointed Charles E. Jackson, acting commissioner of the Bureau of Fisheries, as one of the United States representatives on the International Fisheries Commission established between the United States and Canada.

Mr. Jackson fills the position left vacant by the resignation of Frank T. Bell, former commissioner of the Bureau of Fisheries.

The International Fisheries Commission was established to renew and preserve the halibut fishery of the Northern Pacific Ocean and the Bering Sea.

SAYS NATIONALS UNITE

PARIS, Feb. 2 (AP). — General Wladyslaw Sikorski, Premier of the Polish Government in exile, announced that the Poles and the Czechs—whose "disunion," he said, was one of the main reasons for the catastrophe that befell their countries—have decided upon close cooperation.

TOO FUSSY

In a recent broadcast, Mr. Montagu Norman, Governor of the Bank of England, said he didn't like dirty banknotes. Most people are not so keen on hygiene as all that.

COMB ISLAND FOR ROBBERS

Wide Search Made for Trio Of Bandits Who Secured $3,000 From Bank

All outlets from the city and principal points of the Island are being closely checked by Greater Victoria and Provincial Police in an effort to apprehend the three bandits who secured $3,000 at the point of a pistol from the Victoria West branch of the Royal Bank of Canada on Thursday afternoon.

Chief J. A. McLellan stated city police were working on several leads, and had definitely established the fact that an automobile had been used by the robbers to make a get-away. He believed it might have been a machine stolen earlier in the week and not yet recovered.

EXAMINE RECORDS

Considerable time examining police records has been spent by W. H. Wightman, P. A. Pearce and Ernest Elford, bank employees, and R. E. Foster, a bank client, in an endeavor to identify the bandits.

Police were informed that Mr. Foster walked into the bank to transact business in the middle of the holdup. The two robbers inside lost no time in herding him into the vault with the three employees.

Only one of the robbers wore a mask. He was also the only one with a pistol. A third bandit remained on guard outside the door, while the other two scooped $3,000 and an automatic pistol from the teller's cage.

GIVES REPORT FOR CEMETERY

Royal Oak Burial Park Revenue Shows Increase Over Previous Year

Total revenue at Royal Oak Burial Park last year was $18,043.25, an increase of $463.25 over that of the previous year, according to H. C. Oldfield, chairman of the Board of Cemetery Trustees of Greater Victoria.

Expenditures included $7,672.55 for wages, $4,950 for interest on cemetery bonds, $738 to the maintenance fund, $640 for intrest on Crematorium bonds, $537.50 to the Crematorium sinking fund, and $3,400 for general operating expenses of the burial park.

Mr. Oldfield pointed out that the sinking fund of the burial park now stood at $32,128.50, and the maintenance fund at $21,709.46. During the year it had been necessary to purchase an additional power lawn mower and a motor truck. The wage account had been $600 higher than the previous year.

MANY PLOTS SOLD

There had been 362 plots sold, eighty-one plots reserved, 250 adult and eleven infant interments made, nine plots sold in the new garden of remembrance, eleven urn burials made, and forty-five plots sold in the unimproved part of the burial park.

Cremations showed an increase of fifteen over those of the previous year. Progress had been made on the garden of remembrance for the burial of ashes. Each plot contained a concrete receptacle, bronze nameplate and a flower vase.

Mr. Oldfield pointed out that the board planned to develop Section "B" of the burial park during the present year.

Concluding Career In B.C. Service

D. E. WHITTAKER

WHO retired this week from the position of chief analyst and assayer for the Provincial Government, after forty-three years in the civil service of the Province.

Obituary

HAUGHTON—A large congregation of sorrowing friends and a profusion of beautiful floral tributes marked the funeral held yesterday afternoon for Edward James Haughton. The impressive service was conducted by Rev. Hugh A. McLeod at the Thomson Funeral Home. The hymn sung at the close of the service was "Peace, Perfect Peace." There was a delegation from the different telegraph and radio offices in the city present, the following acting as pallbearers: S. E. Meiss, Capt. J. H. Cattroll, W. J. Bowerman, L. S. Hawkins, R. Ainslie and J. E. Harker. Interment was made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery, Rev. Canon Chadwick taking the commital service at the graveside.

MARSH—The funeral of George Thomas Marsh will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Sands Mortuary, Limited. Rev. Canon Robert Connell will officiate and interment will be made in the Colwood Burial Park.

HARTLEY — There was a large attendance of friends present at the funeral services held in Christ Church Cathedral yesterday afternoon for John Reginald Hartley. Among the many friends was a large delegation of members from the Order of Eastern Star, representing the lodges of Victoria and surrounding district. The Lord Bishop of Columbia conducted the funeral services, during which the hymns "Abide With Me," and "O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go," were sung. Interment was made in the Colwood Burial Park, with the following acted as pallbearers: C. H. Harrison, E. L. McMillking, O. M. Prentice, C. Norman, T. Griggs and F. Yeates. McCall Bros.' Funeral directors, were in charge of the funeral arrangements.

JOHNSON—Funeral services over the remains of Lucy Ann Johnson will be held this afternoon, the cortege leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company's Chapel at 2 p.m., proceeding to Christ Church Cathedral for services at 2.15 p.m., Rt. Rev. H. E. Sexton, Bishop of Columbia, officiating, assisted by Rev. J. R. Fife. Interment will take place in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

PEARSON — The death occurred on February 1, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, of Margaret Marie Pearson, aged sixty-one years, Capilano, North Vancouver, B.C. Mrs. Pearson was born in Nova Scotia, but had been a resident of this city during the past six months. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. T. M. Branston, Victoria; one brother, Morton Revsbeck, U.S.A., and one sister, Mrs. C. G. White, Bellingham, Wash. The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company's Chapel, pending funeral arrangements.

FORMER KEATING RESIDENT PASSES

Mrs. Margaret Reynard, Native Victorian, Dies at the Age Of Eighty-One Years

A native of Victoria, who lived in Keating for sixty-five years before moving to the city to make her home four years ago, Mrs. Margaret Reynard, wife of Arthur Reynard, died yesterday morning at the family residence, 749 Market Street, aged eighty-one years.

Mrs. Reynard was born in Victoria, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Greig, who were pioneers of the Keating district, owning one of the first farms in that area.

She is survived by her husband and three sons, Thomas Lidgate, Victoria; William Lidgate, Ritzville, Wash., and Robert John Lidgate, Fanny Bay; one daughter, Mrs. R. J. Hampton, Victoria; three brothers, Robert and James Greig, Victoria, and Frank Greig, Sproat Lake; and two sisters, Mrs. Emily Johnstone and Mrs. William Simpson, both of Victoria.

Funeral services will be held in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Canon R. J. Pierce officiating, and interment will take place in the family plot in St. Stephen's Churchyard, Mount Newton. No flowers are requested.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

HOW ENLARGEMENTS ARE MADE

Enlarging brings out detail you can't see in a small print. Both these prints were made from the same negative. Only part of the negative was used, with surplus background and foreground area masked out. This is another advantage of the enlarging process—you can include just what you want, and omit excess material at the top, bottom, and sides of the picture.

BIG pictures are always better than small ones. Not only is a large picture more impressive, but also it shows more detail—bringing out features that can hardly be seen at all in the small print.

Therefore every enthusiastic amateur photographer has his best pictures enlarged—and, usually, looks forward to the time when he can have an enlarger of his own. Of course, he can always obtain excellent enlargements from his photofinisher—but the genuine hobbyist likes the thrill of experimenting, and making big prints himself.

With a modern precision-built enlarger, it is easy to produce enlargements. In some respects, it's easier than contact printing. The film negative is simply slipped into a carrier, which fits a slot in the enlarger lamp house. When the lamp is turned on an enlarged image is projected on a paper holder below the enlarger lens. You slip a sheet of sensitized paper into the paper holder—make the exposure—then develop the paper as you would a contact print.

By moving the enlarger head up and down, you can make prints any size up to the limitations of the enlarger. In some enlargers, the head can also be swung to a horizontal position, so that huge prints may be projected on a nearby wall. One type of precision enlarger is designed so that it can also be used as a camera for taking pictures.

The great advantage of enlarging, in addition to big prints, is that you can try special effects. For example, by a simple process known as "dodging," you can hold back certain parts of the image and give more exposure to other parts. Thus you can bring out detail (or subdue it) wherever you wish. Too, you can make diffused prints, combination prints, prints with special textures—all sorts of novel effects.

Of course, for fun in photography, you don't have to have an enlarger, or even make your own contact prints. Millions of amateurs don't. But for the real enthusiast, enlarging adds interest and value to the camera hobby.—John van Guilder.

A Help To Those Past Middle Age

When men and women get past middle age their energy and activity, in many instances, begin to decline, and their general vitality is on the wane.

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A BOULEVERSEMENT IN POLICY

The abrupt manner in which Mr. Mackenzie King has brought about a Federal election will destroy some at least of the good which an appeal to the people would make were it directed solely for the purpose of consolidating public opinion behind War effort. That is the case because Parliament was dissolved for political party reasons. It is the case, too, because no opportunity was given for the discussion and consideration of the Government's record for the last five months by the elected representatives of the people. There is, as well, the fact that the Prime Minister failed to keep what was tantamount to a promise that he made to the people of Canada when, in replying to the Ontario Legislature's motion of censure against his War administration, he said:

"Believing that the proper time and place to discuss Government policy with respect to Canada's War effort is when the representatives of the people from all parts of Canada are assembled in their Parliament, I shall reserve until Parliament is in session what I may have to say on the subject. Parliament, as all are aware, meets a week from today. Meanwhile the Government does not intend to permit Canada's War effort in the present War to be prejudiced by fostering any controversy which does not permit of the most complete presentation of all relevant facts."

The Prime Minister, almost immediately that Parliament had assembled, reversed his position. He has given the impression that he does not, at least at this juncture, consider that Parliament is the place where there should be "the most complete presentation of all relevant facts." Instead, he has appealed to the forum of the people, to those who will not have before them the relevant facts. There will be, says The Ottawa Journal, "instead of platform discussion of facts . . . a deluge of platform exaggerations, with gossip and rumors and reports and all sorts of partizan and specious arguments." There are many people in the Dominion who, like The Journal, desire to see such an election as is now in the offing conducted "on fair, decent and sober grounds; on grounds that will make for better public understanding of what the Government has done, or tried to do, or has failed to do—an election that would strengthen our War effort, not blur and confuse it. Mr. King, by shutting off information, by, in effect, locking away the files, has made this almost impossible."

GOODS FROM RUSSIA

Dr. Ritter, a German economic expert, has been sent to Moscow to endeavor to expedite Russian exports to the Reich. The Germans have been told, since the outbreak of the War, that increased trade with Russia and Southeastern Europe would make up for the losses caused by the blockade. Evidently this trade is not reaching expectations, for there are difficulties with both Russia and Rumania. One of these is transport. There is a scarcity of rolling stock in Germany to deal with the increased amount of goods carried by land. Fourteen per cent of German locomotives are constantly out of action for repairs. The figures for derailment rose by 21 per cent in 1937, by 33 per cent in 1938, and by 45 per cent during the first months of 1939.

There is another handicap to trade with Russia. German railways are built to a gauge of 4 feet 8½ inches, whereas the Russian gauge is 5 feet. That means that goods passing between the two countries have to be unloaded and reloaded where a break in the gauge occurs. The Times, London, now reports that an engineer, named Hafer, has invented a special apparatus, with which the upper part of a railway truck can be lifted off its wheel-base and placed on a new base in twenty minutes. There are now experiments being made with methods of altering both trucks and passenger coaches to fit the new apparatus. There is, too, the possibility that Russia is not anxious to increase her trade with Germany unless she is assured of prompt payment, and for trading purposes Germany is seriously embarrassed in a monetary sense. Moreover, Russia has a preoccupation in her war against Finland which may have led her to renege on promises made to Germany. As The Times points out, her rolling stock is moving northwards with men and supplies for the Finnish campaign.

A GREAT THEATRICAL PERSONALITY

The death of Sir Frank Benson, at the age of eighty-one, passed almost unnoticed on this continent, and yet he was one of the greatest theatrical personalities of his time. It was at the instigation of Miss Ellen Terry that he adopted the stage as a profession. While he was at Oxford University, Agamemnon was staged by the students, with the present Lord Selborne and the late Lord Curzon in the cast. Benson played Clytemnestra, and Miss Terry, who saw the play, exclaimed "What supremely beautiful girl," forgetting that there were no women in the company. Benson opened his professional career at the Lyceum, taking the part of Paris in Romeo and Juliet. Following that, on the advice of Irving and Miss Ellen Terry, he joined a touring company to gain experience. Later, Benson formed his own company and founded, what is described by The Times, London, "one of the greatest achievements and organizations in the history of the English stage."

Benson carried Shakespeare far and wide over the United Kingdom. He carried the great dramatist, too, to the United States and Canada. For thirty years he and his company gave the annual Shakespeare Festival performance at Stratford-upon-Avon. It was from his tour on this continent that he returned to England on the eve of the Great War. His company was reduced to a skeleton through its members donning khaki. Benson, though almost fifty-five years of age, walked into a recruiting office, and when asked his age replied thirty-five. "Surely you are more than that?" asked the officer. "Are you here," came Benson's reply, "to get soldiers or to ask silly questions?" He was not accepted, however, and so he went to London to give performances of King Henry V, and was an asset in keeping the hearts of the people high by one of Shakespeare's most stirring historical dramas. It was at a Drury Lane performance of Julius Caesar, in which Benson played the title role, that the King and Queen were present. At the conclusion, His Majesty sent for Benson, and, with a property sword borrowed for the purpose from a costumier's shop, conferred on him the honor of knighthood.

Sir Frank Benson was not a great actor. He admitted he was inadequately trained. His genius lay in concentrating his attention on a production as a whole, and it is said of him that "he worked so hard at all the many duties of an actor-manager that he seldom did himself justice in his performance." In paying tribute to him, The Times says: "In the end, the crown of his achievement was not his acting (beautiful though much of it was), nor his creation of a company which loved its 'blessed Pa' and worked and played hard with him and 'fed' London with good players for thirty years; but his obedience, through more labor and disappointment and difficulty than fell to the lot of most men, to the noble passion which bade him carry as far as he could reach over the English-speaking world the glory and the fun of Shakespeare and his own high vision of the English spirit."

VOTERS' REGISTRATION

Between February 5 and February 10, Federal enumerators are to make a house-to-house canvass of electors in the riding of Victoria, in the compilation of a new voters' list. With only five days in which to register eligible voters in a population exceeding some 50,000 individuals, omissions and mistakes are apt to occur, with courts of revision to be provided to cure such errors.

Due to the nature of the canvass, the limited time for its completion, and also because of the split-up nature of the riding, which includes Victoria City, Oak Bay, the municipal area in Esquimalt and a small portion of Saanich, it will be wisdom on the part of the electorate to make certain that the names of all eligible voters go down on the lists.

This is a case where citizenship involves some responsibilities. In such a hurried-up affair, though political party organizations can be of assistance to the returning officer, it will devolve on each member of the public to make sure that his or her name is on the list. The privilege of the ballot means little unless the right is exercised. Unless their names are on the voters' list, electors will be unable to vote.

Whatever is happening in the rest of Germany there is no doubt that some Rhinelanders listen to the British news broadcasts. Recently a German woman received fourteen anonymous letters from residents in the Rhineland telling her they had heard from the B.C.C. news that her son was a prisoner in England.

There is more than a probability that while Mr. Mackenzie King's battle of ballots is taking place on the Canadian front the British Empire will be engaged in a life-and-death struggle on land, on sea and in the air in Europe. Such a happening, if it eventuates, will have a bearing on the result of the polls.

JUSTICE

Of all the virtues justice is the best;
Valor without it is a common pest;
Pirates and thieves, too oft with courage graced,
Show us how ill that virtue may be placed.
'Tis our complexion makes us chaste or brave;
Justice from reason and from Heaven we have;
All other virtues dwell but in our blood;
That's in the soul, and gives the name of good.
—Edmund Waller.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., Friday, February 2, 1940.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

A deep depression is approaching Vancouver Island from the west, while pressure remains relatively high east of the Rocky Mountains. The weather has been fair and mild in most parts of British Columbia, but it continues moderately cold in the Prairie Provinces.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min.	Max.
Victoria	--	37	48
Nanaimo	--	31	45
Vancouver	--	27	45
Kamloops	--	20	25
Prince George	--	7	23
Estevan Point	--	34	51
Prince Rupert	--	33	51
Langara	--	38	44
Atlin	--	13	21
Dawson	--	1	10
Seattle	--	30	56
Portland	.16	40	42
San Francisco	Trace	43	60
Spokane	Trace	29	33
Penticton	--	24	--
Vernon	--	19	--
Kelowna	--	22	28
Grand Forks	--	5	28
Nelson	--	18	34
Kaslo	--	14	--
Cranbrook	--	2*	26
Calgary	--	7	16
Edmonton	--	7	16
Swift Current	--	1*	15
Moose Jaw	--	6	15
Prince Albert	Trace	12	17
Winnipeg	--	10*	18
Thursday			
Toronto	--	4	16
Ottawa	--	3	11
Saint John	--	13	28
Halifax	--	14	27

* Below zero.

FRIDAY

Minimum	37
Maximum	48
Average	42
Minimum on the grass	34

Weather, fair; sunshine, Feb. 2, 8 hrs., 36 min.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.80; wind, N., 10 miles; fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.81; wind, NW., 5 miles; fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.04; calm; cloudy.

Grand Forks—Barometer, 30.03; calm; fair.

Prince George—Barometer, 29.97; wind, NW., 2 miles; clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.80; calm; clear.

Langara—Barometer, 29.71; wind, E., 10 miles; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.77; wind, SE., 10 miles; fair.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.76; wind, E., 15 miles; cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 29.85; wind, SE., 5 miles; raining.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.82; wind, SE., 10 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.91; wind, S., 10 miles; cloudy.

Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAVES

Last night Orion the Hunter was out, with his dogs. Astride the equator, the constellation winked and scintillated in the frosty air. Sirius, the great dog, and Procyon, the little dog, followed as faithfully as ever at his heels. In his hand, Orion held a lion pelt, while close in front were Taurus, the bull, and the Pleiades, the seven sisterly doves. Swinging from his sword-belt, Orion carried his customary guard chain, like the curving strap on a warrant officer's belt; and halfway down the chain was the great nebula, a shimmering cloud of light. For all of its age, it was an arresting sight.

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Betelgeuze at the top glowed like a ball of colored fire. The three straight-in-line stars of the belt shone brilliantly. Below, Rigel gleamed like a flashing jewel. The stars in the guard chain were all out with their partners, marching two-and-two through the heavens. Close at heel was the Sirius, the dog without a bark; and a little in advance of the Hunter was Aldebaran, another star of the first magnitude. Join Betelgeuze and Aldebaran with the eye, and roughly bisect the line with a line drawn from Rigel at right angles to it, and human vision is led to Capella, and beyond that in the same plane to Polaris, the north star and apparent centre of our night.

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It is more than a pretty show, this curtain of the night. Betelgueze is 250 times larger than our own pale sun, and 3,000 times as bright. The great nebula contains who knows what distances in time and space; a vast and lighted cavern in the universe, an endless journey in eternity itself. Yet, to the naked eye the nebula looks like two very small pin points; two minute beads of light, hazily and indistinctly seen in a formless, incandescent glow. Through binoculars, the Hunter grows large; his dogs, familiar, and the nebula a lighted paddock in the sky. Through powerful telescopes the whole field comes to life; the mind is led to endless wonders within the circle of an eyepiece.

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Facing the Hunter with his dogs, over the left shoulder may be seen the Great Bear. The Great Bear is busy, following a tradition older than anything we may remember. He climbs up into the sky in Winter hunting his den. Through Polaris, his den, he is supposed to crawl into a hole in the sky to hibernate. Visibly he does nothing of the kind. Visibly, the Bear weaves a slow circle through the months, like the ponderous arm of a twelve-month clock, with thirty days to a station, and no stopping. The Little Bear turns before him. Together they mark off the hours and the seasons, while Polaris takes care of the years. From Thuban to Polaris spans more history than man has ever written, as the earth wobbles on its axis, and man follows his lodestar into—he knows not what.

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We think of the ocean as wide and deep. We speak of the children of the sun, our planets, as revolving in a huge field of the heavens. What distances must be involved when suns like Betelgeuze appear as pin points in the sky? Later this month, all save two of our planets will run their little courses past the eyes of men, bunched up together like horses in a race; separate and widen; draw poles apart and hide from view; but not one second on the great eternal clock will yet have ticked where Time itself is measured.

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Long years ago the rays of Thuban struck a narrow slit in bygone temples, marking the hour of human sacrifice. Last year starlight was used to open up a mammoth fair for human education. Last night, once more, the moon looked down on human sacrifice, wreathed her wrinkled face in clouds, and passed along. What have the heavens seen, while great suns formed and ripened, burst their glowing sides and disappeared? No man can rightly tell. Order, law and reason beyond our puny comprehension marches ever on.

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There is order in the heavens. The lamps of night appear in time and season, seldom late or early. Even the scapegrace comet tracks a time-space rail that binds it down to reason. The moon pulls on our tides, and lets them slack again. Eclipses come, and slowly pass. The turning earth reviews a mammoth pageant, from a pin-point area smaller than the smallest grain of sand. Time rolls out the sands, and measures this to beasts, and that to man; and something else to planets, suns, to worlds perhaps we cannot see or sense. Eternal tides smooth out life larger sands, leaving fresh the canvass for the hand of the Creator.

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Ned—Boy, if there's one thing that guy hates, it's the healthy life.

Ted—What is he, a lose liver?

Ned—No, a doctor.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist of February 3, 1890)

In Days of Old—The steamers Cariboo Fly and Maude, which are now on the Star Ways for an overhauling, are the only two boats left to tell of the troubles of early navigation in these waters, their contemporaries the Beaver, Grappler, Otter and Wilson G. Hunt, having long ago gone to the marine boneyard. These old-timers were in early days considered fast and commodious.

The Sealing Fleet—The schooner C. H. Tupper, Capt. Kelly, arrived in San Francisco on January 28, with her boom, topmast and fore topmast missing and the decks swept bare. The schooner will be refitted immediately . . . The Sea Lion, also belonging here, arrived in the Bay City on January 22, with her boom gone. She was only recently built and owned by Capt. Collins, of this city . . . The schooner Minnie, Capt. Jacobsen, is lying at Pechina, and it is reported that she also lost her boom . . . The Ariel, Annie C. Moore and Mollie Adams will leave this morning, weather permitting . . . The Walter L. Rich, which left last week, had to put back to Esquimalt for shelter. The numerous accidents reported on the coast are making the owners of sealing schooners a little anxious for the safety of their boats.

"Lucia di Lammermoor"

By JAMES McVIE

The great Metropolitan Opera Company will present for this week's matinee broadcast Gaetano Donizetti's three-act dramatic opera, "Lucia di Lammermoor." The libretto is based on Sir Walter Scott's famous novel, "The Bride of Lammermoor." Ever since the first performance at the San Carlo Theatre, Naples, on September 26, 1835, the opera has been a great favorite among coloratura sopranos and dramatic tenors. The role of "Lucia" offers great vocal passages in the trills and cadenzas of the decorative "Mad Scene"; and the powerful "Sextette" has been sung by such renowned prima donnas as Melba, Patti, Tetrazzini, Galli-Curci and our present-day Lily Pons. A list of the great interpreters of the character of Edgar would certainly include the names of Enrico Caruso and Beniamino Gigli. Today's production will be conducted by Gennaro Papi, and the performance will be sung in Italian.

THE CAST

Lucia	Lily Pons
Edgardo	Frederick Jagel
Enrico	Ezio Pinza
Alisa	Thelma Votipka

ACT I

The curtains rise on the sombre gardens of Lammermoor Castle in Scotland, near the close of the sixteenth century, and the first scene takes place in a grove in a corner of the gardens. Enrico learns from his hunting companions that his sister, Lucia, is in love with Edgardo, master of Ravenswood, even though their families are in enmity. Enrico grows very angry and declares that only Lucia's marriage to Arturo can save the fortunes of the Ashton house.

Scene II—Lucia, accompanied by her confidante, Alisa, enters to await a visit from Edgardo. She sings her celebrated "Regnava nel Silenzio" ("Silence, O'er All,") a legend of a nearby fountain. Edgardo arrives and tells Lucia he has been ordered to France, after which they both join in a duet of parting, expressing their love and swearing faithfulness to each other.

ACT II

Scene I—In a chamber in the castle, Enrico intercepts all of Lucia and Edgardo's letters, and declares to Lucia that he will be disgraced and ruined unless she consents to marry Arturo, as he has arranged. The unfortunate Lucia, stricken with grief, finally consents to this sacrifice.

Scene II—In the great hall of the castle preparations are under way for the wedding. Lucia enters and is escorted to the table to sign the marriage papers. She signs the document and looks up to see Edgardo, who has just returned from France. With sword in hand, he stalks boldly toward the table. At this dramatic moment he is joined by Enrico, Arturo, Raimundo, Lucia and Alisa. This is the ever-popular and universally-known "Sextette"—"Chi mi frena" ("What From Vengeance Yet Restrains Me?")

In a moment of fury, Edgardo and Enrico rush at one another with drawn swords, and are separated by Raimundo, chaplain of Lammermoor. Edgardo, on confirmation of the marriage statement, and in a furious rage, calls down the curse of heaven on Lucia and all her hatred family. Sir Edgardo rushes out, leaving the grief-stricken Lucia in a state of bitter despair.

ACT III

Scene I—Enrico comes to the gloomy castle of Edgardo and challenges him to a duel, the time being set for the dawn of the next morning. Amid the terrors of a terrific storm, they unite in a duet, praying that the morn may soon arive.

Scene II—In the great hall of Enrico's ancestral castle, the wedding guests still make merry. Raimundo enters and announces that Lucia has gone mad and slain her husband.

Lucia, pale and lovely, gobed in her wedding garments, appears. She sings a melody of great sweetness and imagines that she and Edgardo are being married. With dagger in hand, she flings into the famous and extremely difficult coloratura aria, "Ardon gl' incensi" (or perhaps better known as the "Mad Scene.") She is joined by a flute obbligato in these colorful passages, which form an ensemble effect of great brilliance and loveliness. After a brief interruption by Enrico, she resumes her song, the second part being known as "Spargi d'amoro pianto" ("Cast On My Grave a Flower"). Towards a climax, her voice rises higher in tones of great purity and beauty, until at the conclusion she falls swooning into Alice's arms.

Scene III—Edgardo awaits his opponent, Enrico, at the tombs of the Ravenwoods. Knights and nobles leave Enrico's castle chanting a funeral dirge. Edgardo interrupts with the dramatic aria, "Gousto cielo" ("Why Lament Ye?"). The mourners tell Edgardo that his beloved Lucia is dead, after which the two rivals unite in a duet, "Tu che e Dio" ("Thou Hast Spread Thy Wings"). Edgardo, declaring he has nothing to live for, draws his dagger and stabs himself as he utters: "None shall part us now," and falls to the ground. Raimundo and the horror-stricken retainers unite in a prayer of forgiveness, and the curtains slowly fall.

The Observation Car

By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Police Politeness

"Teddy," the scribe, complains that bluecoats do not exercise sufficient tact and politeness when apprehending motorists for infractions of traffic regulations. Perhaps this imaginary version would fill the bill: A motorcycle officer on traffic duty sees a motorist exceeding the speed limit along Johnson Street, kicks his mount into roaring action, and gives chase at a discreet distance. After pacing the car for four blocks, he ascertains that the motorist is travelling forty miles per hour. He jerks a few gentle squeaks out of his siren, pulls abreast of the car, and remarks: "Good morning, sir. Lovely Spring day for Winter, is it not? Will you please pull up to the curb and stop? Thank you, sir." The motorist gazes at the officer in amazement. The constable resumes: "I hate to bring the matter to your attention, but we have a speed limit of thirty miles per hour within the city limits. The rule is for the protection of motorists and pedestrians alike. Nice car you have there, I admire your taste. I know the subject may prove distasteful, but do you realize you drove forty miles per hour for the past four blocks? I am afraid that is ten miles per hour above the legal limit. Unfortunately I have no alternative but to perform my duty. May I inspect your driver's license? Thank you, sir. Now would you mind accepting this ticket? Thank you, kindly. In due course you will receive a summons to appear in the police court. Lovely day for Winter, is it not? Good morning, sir."—G.B.

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Hard to Swallow

Golfers at Oak Bay think they have solved the problem of where Mac, the caddy-master, gets his "re-paints." Mac has a tame seagull, and many are the tales of the prowess of this bird. But nobody knew about the seagull's penchant for golf balls until a day or two ago when Mrs. J. D. Laurie was approaching the eighteenth green and her ball rolled nicely up to the green. Mac's seagull was watching too, and before the players had time to come up the hill, swooped down and carried off the ball. There were exclamations from the onlookers, but the bird flew on with his prize and when last seen was sitting on top of the club house going through what appeared to be desperate efforts to swallow the ball. So far no trace has been found of the white "pill." When Mac was asked about it, he had "nothing to say."—B.H.B.-W.

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Wrong Method

Local street car conductors have a trying time on many occasions navigating their way through downtown traffic, especially parked cars and trucks. The other afternoon one of the operators became puzzled when he was confronted by an automobile parked in a direct line with the tracks making it impossible for him to pass without striking the vehicle. Fortunately the car was one of the smaller English makes and the conductor with assistance shifted the protruding part of the machine to the side of the road. The conductor went smilingly on his way but at the same time wished that he might meet the owner of the car and express his thoughts.—J.Mc.

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Glancing Over Sport

Victoria vs Vancouver in the McKechnie Cup rugby series on the Mainland today holds the sports spotlight. Some of the local regulars are not able to make the trip and therefore will take Vancouver to win by three tries, that means nine points . . . On the local football battlefront two matches are carded, Victoria West, the leaders, take on the Garrison at the Athletic Park, and Saanich Thistles meet the Rangers at Beacon Hill. The troops will noe be easy for the greenshirts, but I must go along with the pace-setters to win by two goals. The Thistles will capture a close one from the Rangers at the Hill . . . Chicago invades the Maple Leaf Garden to clash with Toronto in the hockey league. The Leafs are hard to beat at home and should capture the points by three goals. New York Rangers move in on the Montreal Canadians and should have little trouble taking the measure of the Flying Frenchmen . . . Victoria Dominoes, with Hank Rowe playing tonight after missing the first game Friday, will beat Mount Vernon and retain the international trophy they won last season, the first time it was put up for competition . . . Those scores in the Coast Hockey League of late make it one of the most topsy-turvy circuits operating on the continent. Three teams are after the honors and right now they are coming down the home stretch in a photo finish.—J.D.

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Shuttle Gossip

Vancouver Island badminton champions will be crowned this evening at the Victoria Club courts, and from where likely the reigning titleholders will be crowned for another year. Duncan's Eric Leney will retain his men's singles crown for the umpteenth time, and Miss Eleanor Young, Vancouver ace, will keep the womn's singles championship for another year. Eric Leney and George Lane will win the men's doubles honors again and Mrs. Ron Knott and Miss Phyllis Sluggett, known in Island badminton circles as the "Sluggett Sisters" will not be shorn of their mythical crown. In the mixed doubles Miss Eleanor Young and Norm Mustart should take the laurels. Miss Gladys McCall and Tony Staples, last season's champions, did not defend their title.—S.T.

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Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

NANAIMO ELECTORAL DISTRICT

Sir,—It seems advisable that I should delay no longer in declaring my political intentions.

The situation is to precarious for me to agree that the interests of the country can be best served by a contentious political fight.

The war will open in the Spring with unimaginable ferocity, and no one can foresee the road we may be compelled to take.

It is absolutely essential that a clear call from the people be given alike to Government and to members.

The people of the Federal Electoral District of Nanaimo must decide whether they want J. S. Taylor to stand for election or no.

Unless they can give an unquestioning call, J. S. Taylor will—for the sake of the country—stand out of the contest. J. S. TAYLOR.

House of Commons, Ottawa, Jan. 27, 1940.

MISS CHARLOTTE WHITTON

Sir,—The approaching visit of Miss Charlotte M. Whitton, M.A., LL.D., C.B.E., executive secretary of the Canadian Welfare Council, should, we believe, be brought a little more prominently to the attention of the general public, especially in view of her activities in both war work and welfare work.

Miss Whitton is to be the guest speaker at a dinner to be held at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday, February 6, at 6:30 o'clock, under the auspices of the Council of Social Agencies of Greater Victoria. She has chosen for her subject "Community Welfare in a State at War."

We feel that the public should take advantage of this opportunity of hearing Miss Whitton, as her subject is not only a most interesting one at this time, but she herself is considered to be probably the most brilliant woman speaker in Canada and knows her subject thoroughly. The Toronto Saturday Night refers to her, in their issue of December 2, after she had spoken before the Women's Canadian Clubs of Toronto and Hamilton, as having given "a brilliantly clear account of the social problems which to so large an extent have driven Germany along her present fatal road, and which exist also in Canada in only a lesser degree, and will imperil the social structure even of our own country if we do not exhibit a great deal of wisdom and moderation."

Anyone interested in welfare work or war service at home should not miss hearing Miss Whitton, and those who wish to attend the dinner should telephone to E 8322 not later than Monday, February 5, in order to make reservations.

F. E. WINSLOW,
President of Council of Social Agencies for Greater Victoria.

1202 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., February 2, 1940.

WASTE

Sir,—Now that we have a terrible war on our hands I thought that we should try to make use of some of the waste material of which tons upon tons disfigure the beauty of our fine country. Great Britain is making use of her waste.

Is there a use for discarded rubber tires, jar rings, boots, hot-water bottles, etc.?

Use for old newspapers, cardboard boxes, magazines, of which many tons are wasted every year, denuding our forests?

Use for old shoes, leather gloves, saddles, etc.?

Use for tin cans? I have read that these can be pressed into bricks and used for buildings.

For empty medicine bottles, chinaware, broken window panes, etc.?

Use for feathers besides those used for bedding, pillows?

Use for discarded enamelware, aluminius pots and pans?

Use for onion skins, potato tops, bones, wire, rags?

Could sugar be made from parsnips, which are easily grown and do well in British Columbia?

(MRS.) R. M. INGLIS.

1580 McRae Avenue, Victoria, B.C., February 1, 1940.

PROPERTY SALES SHOW GAIN HERE

Transactions Total $1,483,329 During Past Year—Highest Recorded Since 1932

Figures compiled by the city assessor and collector showed that 752 parcels of property were sold here for a total of $1,483,329 last year, compared with 447 parcels for $1,192,447 in 1938. Sales last year were the highest since 1932.

Transfers last year accounted for a change in ownership of property valued at $1,293,381. Through wills, property valued at $424,475 also changed hands.

City lands department cash receipts last month totaled $10,163, compared with $9,825 in January, 1938. Included in the receipts last month were twenty-seven sales of property totaling $6,684.

DISTRIBUTES FUNDS

PORT ALBERNI, Feb. 2 (CP).—A choral society, which disbanded fifteen years ago, briefly resurrected itself here to disburse funds which have lain in the treasury since 1925. It distributed the sum, described as "substantial," to the Kinsmen Club, the Little Theatre group and to the choirs of the Port Alberni Anglican and United Churches.

According to Culbertson

Among the gifts of the good bridge player is the power of abstraction. Especially when playing a hand at a trump contract is this power necessary. It frequently happens that the declarer's hand must be used as the dummy and that the dummy be made the master hand. Players who have not learned to consider the twenty-six cards in their hand and dummy as a unit are likely to be at a loss when a hand such as today's occurs.

South, dealer
Both sides vulnerable

NORTH
♠ A K 6
♥ K 3
♦ A 10 7 6
♣ Q 10 6 4

WEST
♠ 9 5
♥ Q J 10 8 4
♦ K J 5 3 2
♣ 8

EAST
♠ J 8 4 2
♥ 9 2
♦ Q 9 4
♣ J 9 7 2

SOUTH

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♣	1 ♥	3 ♦	Pass
3 NT	Pass	4 ♣	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
5 ♣	Pass	6 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

The manner of arriving at the final contract was, perhaps, not of the best, but the final contract was a reasonable one for the combined hands. With a normal distribution of the adverse cards a grand slam is quite likely, but even a small slam required careful play, since the trump suit failed to break.

West led the queen of hearts and dummy won with the king, and at once led another heart, which South took with his ace. There was a chance that this would be ruffed by East, but then South still would have his ace and the ruff hardly could do much harm at that stage.

In order to understand the rest of the play it is necessary only to imagine that North is declarer. On winning the second heart trick, South laid down the ace and king of trumps, West discarding a diamond on the second round.

At this point declarer can mark East with an original holding of two hearts and four trumps, in which case the rest of the hand probably was split 4-3. The ace of diamonds was cashed, therefore, and a low diamond ruffed by South. The king of spades was followed by another diamond ruff and the ace and a low spade followed.

When East followed, declarer did not care who had the jack of spades. If West, the jack would fall; if East, the ten of trumps could be made by ruffing the fourth spade. He won with the queen of spades, therefore, and when West showed out, continued with a fourth spade, ruffing with dummy's ten, and subsequently making the queen of trumps for the twelfth trick.

TOMORROW'S HAND

South, dealer
Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ J 5
♥ 10 2
♦ 8
♣ A Q 9 8 7 5 4 3

WEST
♠ K 9 6 4
♥ K 4 3
♦ K 9 5 2
♣ 6 3

EAST
♠ 8 7 3 2
♥ 9 8 7 6 5
♦ 10 7 6 4
♣ —

SOUTH
♠ A Q 10
♥ A Q J
♦ A Q J 3
♣ K J 10

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's column.

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Rallying Touch Is Given Trading On Wall Street

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP).—A few steels, aircrafts and specialties contributed a rallying touch to the stock market today but numerous issues failed to shake off losing tendencies.

Gains running to around 2 points at the best for favorites, were reduced or cancelled at the close and minus signs were well distributed.

The Associated Press average of sixty stocks ended at 49.3, the same as Thursday's final level. It was the eighth consecutive session in which this composite has been down or unchanged.

Dealings were meaningless from the start and, except for further relative liveliness of such low-priced issues as Continental Motors, which was up 1-4, the day's volume would have been one of the smallest for months. Transfers totaled 514,330 shares compared with 460,565 yesterday.

The choosy buying came into the list, brokers said, due partly to the belief the lengthy market stalemate would soon be broken one way or the other, with chances good for recovery. Receding business, politics and Europe's wars were still blamed as the principal speculative handicaps.

The cheerful flow of 1939 earnings statements served to drop isolated shares but, for the most part, were ignored.

U.S. Government bonds continued their slow climb today. Gains in Federals in no case topped 5-32 point. Corporate issues, except for a few utilities, closed unchanged.

The average of foreign government dollar loans declined, despite small gains for issues of Belgium, Buenos Aires, Canada, Germany and Japan.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed as follows:

Thirty industrials 145.33, up .10.
Twenty rails 30.63, up .05.
Fifteen utilities 24.69, up .08.
Forty bonds 89.34, up .06.
Total sales, 510,000.

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Allied Chemicals	171-4	..	171-4
Allis Chalmers	36-7	35-4	36-4
American Can	113-0	..	112-6
Amer. P. & L.	4	3-7	4
American Radiator	9-6	9-4	9-5
American Rolling Mills	15-2	15	15-1
American Smelter	47-6	47-4	47-4
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	171-2	171	171
Amer. Zinc & Lead	6	..	6
Anaconda Copper	27-5	27	27-1
Atchison Railway	23-6	23-5	23-6
Aviation Corp	6-7	..	6-7
B. & O. Railway	5-3	..	5-3
Baldwin Locomotive	15-1	..	15-1
Bendix Aviation	30-5	30-3	30-3
Beth. Steel	74-1	73-4	74
Boeing	23-6	23-3	23-6
Borden	23	..	23
Borg Warner	23-3	..	23-3
Briggs	20	..	20
C. P. R.	4-7	..	4-7
C. & O. Railway	39-4	..	39-4
Chrysler	81-2	80-7	80-7
Commercial Solvent	14	..	14
Con. Edison	32	31-7	32
Cont. Can	41	..	41
Crown Zellerbach	16	15-7	16
Crucible Steel	38	..	38
Curtiss Wright	10-3	10-1	10-2
Curtiss Wright "A"	29-7	29-4	29-4
Douglas Aircraft	82	81-1	82
Dupont	179-6	179-4	179-6
Eastman Kodak	160-3	..	160-3
El. Auto Lite	35-7	..	35-7
General Foods	47-4	..	47-4
Gen. Electric	38-5	38-1	38-1
General Motors	53	52-4	53
Glen Martin	28-7	28-4	28-7
Goodyear	22-6	..	22-4
Howe Sound	49-3	49	49-3
Int. Harvester	54-2	..	54-2
Int. Marine	9-2	..	9-2
Int. Nickel	35-4	..	35-4
Int. Tel.	4	..	4
Ill. Central	11-3	..	11-2
Kennecott Copper	35-3	35-1	35-1
Loew's	36	35-7	36
Lorillard	24-6	24-5	24-6
Mack Truck	24-8	..	24-6
Montgomery Ward	52-3	51-4	52
Nash Kelvinator	6-6	..	6-6
Nat. Dairy	18-6	18-5	18-6
New York Central	16-2	16	16
North Amer. Aviation	25-3	..	25-3
Northern Pacific	8-3	..	8-3
Pacific Gas & Elec.	34	..	34
Penn. Railway	21-4	21-3	21-3
Phillips Pete	39-2	..	39-2
Pullman	26-7	..	26-7
Pure Oil	8-4	..	8-4
Radio	5-7	..	5-7
Republic Iron & Steel	19-5	19-3	19-4
Reynold's Tob.	41	..	41
Safeway Stores	47-6	..	47-6
Schenley	12-6	..	12-6
Sears Roebuck	83	82-6	82-7
Simmons Beds	21-5	..	21-5
Southern Pacific	13	..	13
Southern Railway	17-3	..	17-2
Sperry Corp.	45-7	45-6	45-7
Standard Brands	7-1	..	7-1
Standard Oil, Cal.	24-4	..	24-4
Standard Oil, N.J.	43-3	43-1	43-3
Studebaker	10-3	10-2	10-3
Texas Corp.	43-1	42-6	43
Twentieth Century-Fox	11-6	..	11-6
Union Carbide	79	..	79
Union Pacific	94	93-3	93-3
United Aircraft	48-5	48-4	48-5
United Airlines	15-6	..	15-6
U.S. Rubber	36-3	36	36
U.S. Steel	57-4	56-6	56-7
United Gas & Imp.	14-8	14-5	14-6
Westing. Electric	109	108-2	108-2
Woolworth	40-3	..	40-3
Zenith Radio	15	..	15

MONTREAL STOCKS

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS
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	Bid	Asked
Assoc. Breweries, Com.	18	19¼
Assoc. Breweries, Pfd.	112	..
Algoma, Com.	14½	15
Algoma, Pfd.	95	97
Bathurst Paper	14¾	14⅞
Building Products	16¼	17
Canadian Northern Power	16¼	17⅛
Canadian Steamships	7¼	7½
Canadian Steamships, Pfd.	..	16
Can. Car & Foundry	13¼	13½
Can. Car & Foundry, Pfd.	..	25
Canadian Celanese, Pfd.	129	126½
Canadian Converters	15	17
Canadian Alcohol "A"	3	3½
C P R	6	6¼
Cockshutt Plow	7¼	8
Consolidated Smelters	45½	46
Distillers-Seagrams	23¾	23⅞
Crown Cork	29	30
Dominion Bridge	36½	37¼
Dominion Coal, Com.	14½	14¾
Dominion Coal, Pfd.	21⅞	22½
Dominion Tar	6¼	6⅞
Dominion Tar, Pfd.	86	87
Dominion Textiles	89	89½
Gatineau Power, Pfd.	95½	96
Hamilton Bridge, New	6¼	6¾
General Steelwares, Com.	10¼	10½
Hollinger	14⅞	14⅞
Howard Smith	20	20¼
Howard Smith, Pfd.	100½	103
Hudson Bay M. & S.	30¼	30¾
Intl. Nickel	43¼	43¾
Intl. Petroleum	22¼	22½
Lake of the Woods	23¼	24
Massey-Harris	5	5¼
Montreal Cottons, Pfd.	110¼	..
Montreal Power	31	31¼
National Breweries	37½	37½
National Steel Car	65	66
Noranda	71	73
Ogilvie	31¾	..
Ottawa Power	15	15½
Penmans	58	58¾
Power Corpn.	10	10¼
Price Brothers	21¼	21⅜
Price Brothers, Pfd.	78	78½
Rolland Paper, V.T.	18	19
St. Lawrence Corpn., Pfd.	18	18
St. Lawrence Paper, Pfd.	45	46
Sherwin-Williams	12½	12¾
Steel of Canada	79½	80
Steel of Canada, Pfd.	..	91
United Steel	5⅝	5½
Curb		
Abitibi	175	180
Abitibi, Pfd.	18	18½
Asbestos	25	25⅝
Bathurst "B"	4¼	4½
Brewers & Distillers	4¼	5
Canadian Sugar	33	33½
Canadian Malting	38½	37½
Canadian Vinegars	13	13¼
Canadian Breweries	180	170
Canadian Breweries, Pfd.	24½	26
Canadian Vickers	7	..
Commercial Alcohol	3	3½
Consolidated Paper	6⅞	7
Cub Aircraft	2⅞	3
Donnaconna "A"	6	8½
Fairchild	5⅝	8
Fleet Aircraft	8¼	9¼
Ford "A"	19¼	19½
Fraser Company, V.T.	19	20
Intl. Paint	3¼	3½
Intl. Paint, Pfd.	19½	13¾
Massey-Harris, Pfd.	54	55
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd.	88⅞	97½
Page Hersey	108	..
Royalite Oil	32½	34
Hiram Walker	41½	..
Hiram Walker, Pfd.	6	9
Banks		
Bank of Commerce	171	173
Bank of Montreal, ex-d	209	220

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5%, 1953	65.00	66.75
B.C. Pulp 6%, 1950	82.50	..
Brown Co. 5½%, 1946	55.50	57.50
Calgary Power 5%, 1960	104.50	..
Canada Cement 4½%, 1951	103.00	105.00
Canada Steamship 5%, 1957	83.00	84.75
C.P.R. 3%, 1945	88.00	88.75
C.P.R. 3½%, 1951	87.00	89.00
Dominion Tar 4½%, 1951	100.00	102.50
Famous Players 4½%, 1951	99.50	102.00
Gatineau Power 5%, 1949	101.75	103.50
Maple Leaf 3%, 1959	74.00	75.75
Massey-Harris 4½%, 1954	95.00	97.00
McColl-Frontenac 4½%, 1949	101.50	..
Shawinigan 4%, 1961	100.50	..
Simpson's Ltd. 4½%, 1951	100.50	102.50
United Grain Grws. 5%, 1946	98.00	100.00

ZEBALLOS PRODUCTION

TORONTO, Feb. 2 (CP).—Mount Zeballos Gold Mines, Zeballos district, produced $92,207 in the three months ended December 31. Average recovery for the period was $21.17 per ton of ore milled.

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE

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Official Canadian Control Board buying rate for United States dollars, 110.00; selling rate, 111.00. Open market rates, Montreal in New York, 87.12½; New York in Montreal, 114.75.

Belgium—16.94.
Denmark—19.33.
Finland—1.95.
France—2.25⅛.
Germany—40.25.
Greece—.73¾.
Hungary—19.30.
Italy—5.05.
Netherlands—53.09.
Norway—22.73.
Portugal—3.71.
Rumania—.73.
Sweden—23.83.
Switzerland—22.43.
Yugoslavia—2.35.
Argentina—Official 29.77, free 22.95.
Brazil—Official 6.05; free 5.10.
Mexico—19.75.
Japan—23.49.
Hongkong—24.73.
Shanghai—7.60.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Quotations in dollars: Demand 3.97; cables 3.98; sixty-day bills 3.96; ninety-day bills 3.94½.

(Rates in spot cables, unless otherwise indicated.)

WHEAT FUTURES GAIN FRACTIONS

WINNIPEG, Feb. 2 (CP).—Wheat futures prices scored only fractional gains on Winnipeg Grain Exchange today, despite an export business in Canadian wheat estimated around 1,250,000 bushels and an improved tone in operations at Chicago.

The overseas sales were not reflected fully in the Winnipeg pit, and values closed only 3-8 to 1-4 cent higher after a narrow session, with May wheat at 84 3-8, July 85 1-8 and October 85 7-8 cents a bushel.

United Kingdom buyers were credited with taking 800,000 bushels of the export total, while a full cargo was sold to Genoa, Italy, apparently for delivery to Switzerland. Top Northern grades were mentioned prominently in the foreign sales.

Purchases of Garnets for shipment east at the opening of navigation on the Great Lakes, together with suggestions that some No. 2 Northern wheat in Eastern positions had been taken by exporters in expectation of new overseas business, supplied most of the cash wheat action.

In the coarse grain pit it was estimated 100,000 bushels of oats and 200,000 bushels of barley had been purchased for exportation overseas.

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
May	84	84	84⅜	84	84⅜
July	84⅝	84⅝	85⅛	84⅝	85⅛
Oct.	85⅝	85⅝	86⅛	85⅝	85⅞
Barley—					
May	51½	51⅝	52⅛	52	52⅛
July	50	50⅞	51⅛	50⅞	51⅛
Oats—					
May	40	40¼	40⅜	40¼	40⅜
July	37⅞	38¼	38⅜	38¼	38⅜
Oct.	33⅞	34¼	34⅜	34	34⅜
Rye—					
May	..	72⅞	73⅜	72⅞	73⅜
July	..	71⅝	72	71⅝	72⅛
Oct.	..	b67	68	67⅞	68

Cash Grain

Wheat—	
1 Northern	81⅜
2 Northern	78⅛
3 Northern	77⅝
Track	81⅜
Oats—	
2 C.W.	43⅛
Track	42⅛
Barley—	
2 C.W.	50⅞
Track	52⅞
Rye—	
1 R.C.W.	70⅞
Track	70⅞

CHICAGO GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
May	95⅞	96	97⅛	96	97⅛
July	92⅞	93⅞	94⅞	93⅛	94⅝
Sept.	93	93	93⅞	92⅝	93⅜
Corn—					
May	..	54⅝	55⅛	54⅝	56
July	..	54⅝	55⅛	54⅝	55⅛
Sept.	..	55⅛	55⅞	55⅛	55⅞
Oats—					
May	..	38	38⅝	38	38⅝
July	..	33	33⅝	33	33⅝
Sept.	..	31⅝	31⅞	31⅝	31⅞
Rye—					
May	..	64⅝	65⅛	64	64⅞
July	..	b63⅞	65⅛	63⅞	64
Sept.	..	64⅛	65⅛	64⅛	65

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	168	169
Brazilian T.L. & P.	8½	9
B.A. Oil	23	23½
B.C. Power "A"	27½	28
Burlington Steel	13	14
Canada Malting	37¼	37½
Canadian Pacific	6	6¼
Con. Mining & Smelting	46	46½
Dominion Bridge	36	38
Fanny Farmer	26¼	26½
Ford "A"	19¼	19½
Goodyear Tire Com.	85	88½
Goodyear Tire Pfd.	54	57
Gatineau Power Pfd.	95¼	98
Hiram Walker G. & W.	41½	..
Hiram Walker G. & W. Pfd.	20¼	20½
Imperial Oil	14¼	15½
Imperial Tobacco	15½	15¾
Inter. Nickel	43	43½
Inter. Petroleum	22¼	22½
Loblaw Groc. "A"	27	28½
McColl Frontenac Pfd.	88	87½
Montreal Power Com.	31	32
Royalite Oil	32½	34½
Shawinigan W. & P.	22½	23
Steel of Canada	79½	80
Bralorne	10⅞	10⅞
Dome	27	28
Hollinger Con.	14½	14¾
Lakeshore	27¾	28½
McIntyre Porcupine	..	56¼
Noranda	73¼	74½
Pickle Crow	3.90	3.95
Premier	1.34	..
Wright-Hargreaves	7.90	7.95
Bank of Montreal	208	209
Royal Bank	183	185

Provincial Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4%, 1953	83.00	85.00
Alberta 5%, 1955	86.75	89.75
British Columbia 4%, 1957	99.00	..
British Columbia 4½%, 1953	103.25	104.25
British Columbia 5%, 1953	104.00	106.50
Manitoba 4½%, 1966	93.00	95.00
Manitoba 5½%, 1959	100.00	102.00
New Brunswick 4½%, 1961	102.50	105.00
Nova Scotia 4½%, 1952	107.00	109.50
Ontario 4½%, 1950	109.25	111.25
Quebec 4½%, 1959	103.50	106.50
Saskatchewan 4½%, 1951	78.50	81.50
Saskatchewan 5½%, 1953	85.00	87.50
Saskatchewan 6%, 1952	88.50	90.75

BAR GOLD

MONTREAL, Feb. 2 (CP).—Bar gold in London was unchanged at $37.54 an ounce in Canadian funds; 168s in British funds, representing the Bank of England's buying price. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $38.50 in Canadian funds.

FULL ACTION IN TORONTO TRADING

TORONTO, Feb. 2 (CP).—Continued full action marked trading on Toronto Stock Exchange Friday.

Wood Cadillac Gold gained a few and Wright Hargreaves rallied to finish 5 ahead at 8.00. Sigma and Teck Hughes each lost 10, while losers were Bralorne, Coniaurum, Gold Eagle, Macassa, Malartic, Power Rouyn and Sullivan.

Dome lost 5. Sisco and Cariboo each gained 5. San Antonio was on the up side.

Hamilton Bridge and United were slightly lower. Abitibi preferred advanced fractionally to 16. Both Massey-Harris issues slipped fractionally.

Steep Rock again featured base metals and regained 4 of yesterday's loss, to close at 2.25. Moneta, Noranda and Sherritt-Gordon were lower, while Nickel gained a fraction. Eldorado lost a few cents.

Home Oil was active leader of a dull Western oil list and closed unchanged at 2.80, after having touched 2.85 in earlier dealings. Anglo-Canadian, Dalhousie and Calgary & Edmonton drifted lower, as did Brown, preferred. Brown common was slightly up.

MINING SECTION
(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	.05	.06
Ajax	.20	.24
Aldermac	.30	.31
Bagamac	.08½	.09½
Bankfield	.21	.22½
Base Metals	.23¼	.27
Beattie	1.11	1.13
Big Missouri	.10	.10½
Bobjo	.06	.08½
Bralorne	10.50	10.87½
Buffalo Ankerite	7.90	8.10
C. & E. Corpn.	2.10	..
Canadian Malartic	..	.77
Cariboo Gold Quartz	2.50	2.54
Castle Trethewey	.69	.70
Central Patricia	2.46	2.50
Chemical Research	.34	.44
Chibougamau	.12½	.15
Dome	27.00	27.75
Eldorado	.97	1.00
Falconbridge	4.10	4.20
God's Lake	.55½	.57
Gunnar	.55	.57
Hard Rock	1.23	1.25
Hollinger	14.62½	14.75
Home Oil	2.80	2.82
Howey	.39	.39
Hudson Bay M. & S.	30.00	30.50
Intl. Nickel	43.12½	43.50
Kirkland Lake	1.38	1.39
Lakeshore	27.50	28.00
Leitch Gold	..	.81
Little Long Lac	2.95	2.99
McIntyre	51.00	53.50
McLeod Cockshutt	2.18	2.19
McWatters	.50	.51
Moneta	.80	.85
Morris Kirkland	1.16	1.20
Nipissing	1.23	1.25
Noranda	71.00	73.00
O'Brien	1.52	1.53
Pamour	2.05	2.10
Powell Rouyn	1.32	1.34
Paymaster	.44	.44½
Perron Gold	2.00	2.02
Pickle Crow	3.80	3.95
Pioneer	2.10	2.15
Premier	1.35	1.40
Reno	.38	.40
Royalite Oil	33.00	34.00
San Antonio	2.42	2.45
Sherritt-Gordon	.98	.98
Siscoe	.78	.80
Sladen Malartic	.43	.48
Sudbury Basin	1.90	1.95
Sullivan	.88	.90
Sylvanite	2.30	2.35
Toburn	1.70	1.75
Uchi Lake	.08½	..
Ventures	4.05	4.20
Waite Amulet	5.65	5.75
Wright-Hargreaves	7.85	8.00
Macassa	4.60	4.70

INDUSTRIAL SECTION
(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	168	169
Brazilian Traction	8½	8¾
Brewing Corpn.	160	175
Brewers & Distillers	4¼	4½
B.A. Oil	23	23½
B.C. Power "A"	27½	29
B.C. Power "B"	2½	3¼
Building Products	16¾	17
Canada Cement	7	7½
Canadian Malting	36½	37½
Can. Car & Foundry	13½	13¾
Can. Industrial Alcohol "A"	3	3¼
Can. Industrial Alcohol "B"	2½	3
Canadian Pacific	6	6¼
Cockshutt Plow	7¾	8
Distillers-Seagrams	23	23½
Dominion Bridge	36	37½
Dominion Stores	5	5½
Dominion Tar & Chemical	6	6½
Ford of Canada	19½	19½
Gatineau Power, Com.	15½	18
Gatineau Power, Pfd.	95½	98
General Steelwares	10¼	10½
Gypsum	4	4½
Hamilton Bridge	6¼	6½
Hiram Walker, Com.	41½	..
Imperial Oil	14¼	15
Imperial Tobacco	15½	16
Intl. Nickel	43¼	43¾
Intl. Pete	22½	22¾
Lake of the Woods	23¼	24
Laura Secord	12½	13
Massey-Harris, Com.	5¼	5½
McColl-Frontenac, Com.	8	8¼
Montreal Power	31½	31¾
National Breweries	36½	37½
National Steel Car	65½	66
Ogilvie	31½	..
Page Hersey	108	..
Power Corpn.	10	10½
Shawinigan	22	22½
Steel of Canada, Com.	79½	80
Steel of Canada, Pfd.	..	81
George Weston	12	12½
Banks		
Canadian Bank of Commerce	171	173
Bank of Montreal	207½	..
Royal Bank	..	184

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Year	Rate	Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	1941	3%	105.50	106.50
	1943	5%	110.125	111.125
	1944	4%	109.35	110.25
	1945	4%	105.50	106.50
	1946	4½%	109.50	110.50
	1949	3¼%	100.25	101.35
	1949	3½%	101.00	102.00
	1951	3¼%	98.25	100.25
	1952	4%	105.00	106.25
	1955	3%	85.75	86.75
	1956	3%	94.875	95.875
	1956	4½%	108.50	109.50
	1958	4½%	109.50	110.50
	1966	3¼%	97.625	98.625
	Perp.	3%	88.125	89.125
	1953	3¼%	99.375	100.375
DOMINION GUARANTEES				
Grand Trunk	1962	3%	94.50	95.00
	1962	4%	105.75	109.25
Can. Nat. Rly.	1944	3%	102.75	104.25
	1950	3%	86.75	88.00
	1953	3%	95.75	97.00
	1959	3%	94.00	95.25
	1951	4½%	111.25	112.75
	1957	4½%	112.25	113.75
	1955	4½%	114.25	116.25
	1954	3%	115.25	119.25
July	1969	5%	113.75	119.75
Oct.	1969	5%	116.00	117.50

EGG MARKET

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Produce Inspection Service, Victoria, E 8622:

Grade "A" large	.17
Grade "A" medium	.15
Grade "A" pullet	.12
Following are city wholesale:	
Grade "A" large	.21
Grade "A" medium	.19
Grade "A" pullet	.16

Golds Go Down With Others Unchanged in Vancouver Exchange

VANCOUVER, Feb. 2 (CP).—Gold prices were lower on Vancouver Stock Exchange today, while oils and base metals generally remained unchanged. Transactions totaled 58,485 shares.

Heavy selling of shares of Bralorne Gold sent the price of that issue down 45 cents to 10.60. The stock opened at 10.90 and sold as low as 10.55. Kootenay Belle dropped 3 cents to 70, while Privateer at 79 and Reno at 40 each lost a cent. Hedley Mascot was down 2 at 52 and Gold Belt eased 1 1-2 to 22. Premier added a cent at 1.37 and most other senior issues were unchanged.

Lucky Jim was the only active base metal, but finished fractionally lower at 1 3-4.

Home Oil dipped a couple of cents to 2.81, and Royal Canadian lost 1-2 cent at 18. Other leading oils were inactive and unchanged.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE
(Boorman Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Mines		
Big Missouri	.10¼	.10½
Bralorne	10.55	10.75
Bridge River Cons.	.01¼	.01½
Bluebird	.00¾	..
Cariboo Gold	2.45	2.53
Dentonia	.01½	..
Fairview Amalgamated	.01½	.01¾
Federal Gold	.00¾	.00¾
Golconda	.04	..
Gold Belt	.21	.24
Grandview	.12	.14
Grull Wihksne	.04½	.04¾
Hedley Mascot	.51	.52
Home Gold	.00½	.00⅞
Indian	.01	.01½
Island Mountain	1.00	1.02
Kootenay Belle	.65	.75
Lucky Jim	.01¾	.01⅞
McGillivray Creek	.20	.23
Minto	.01¼	..
Nicola	.02	.03
Noble Five	.01½	..
Pilot Gold	.00½	..
Pioneer	2.07	2.10
Porter Idaho	.01½	.02½
Premier	1.37	1.38
Privateer	.78	.80
Premier Border	.00⅞	.01
Quatsino Copper	.02½	..
Reeves Macdonald	..	.25
Relief Arlington	.12½	.13
Reno	.39	.42
Rufus Argenta	.00¼	..
Sally	..	.06
Salmon Gold	.03½	..
Sheep Creek	1.17	1.19
Silbak Premier	1.12	1.19
Silvercrest	.00⅞	.01½
Taylor Bridge	.02½	.03
Vidette	.04½	.05
Wellington	.01¼	..
Wesko	.00⅞	.00½
Whitewater	.03	.03¼
Ymir Yankee Girl	.04	..
Oils		
Anglo-Canadian	..	1.00
Amalgamated	.00½	.00¾
Anaconda	.06¼	..
A.P. Cons.	.19	.20
Brown	.16½	.18
Baltac	.01¼	..
British Dominion	.13¼	.15
Commoil	.26½	..
C. & E. Corpn.	2.06	2.10
Calmont	.39	.43
Commonwealth	.28	.30
Davies Pete.	.25	.30
Extension	.25	.25¼
Foothills	.80	..
Freehold	.02	..
Hargal	..	.20
Home Oil	2.81	2.85
Madison	.03	.03¼
Mar Jon	.03	.03½
Mercury	.06¼	.07
McDougall Segur	.12¼	..
Midwest Pete.	.02¼	..
Model	..	.29
Monarch	.08	.08½
National Pete.	.16¼	..
Okalta	1.10	..
Pacific Pete	.35	..
Prairie Royalties	.20	.22
Royal Canadian	.18	..
Royal Crest	.09	.10½
Royalite	33.00	..
Sunset	..	.34¼
Southwest Pete	.50	.60
United Oils	.07½	.08
Vanalta	.06	..
Vulcan	.52	.60
Westflank	.04	.05
Industrials		
Brewers & Distillers	4.00	..
Capital Estates	1.75	2.00
Coast Breweries	1.20	1.30
Intl. Coal & Coke	.20	..
United Distillers	.75	1.00

London Stocks

LONDON, Feb. 2 (CP).—British stock closings in sterling:

Anglo-Nfld., 33s 9d; Brit. Celanese, 6s 9d; Crown, £13 7-8; De Havilland, 31s 3d; Ford, 15s 9d; Gen. Elec., 78s 1 1-2d; Imp. Airways, 34s; Rolls Royce, 83s 9d; Springs, 25s; United Steel, 22s 3d.

Bonds—British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £74 1-8; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £98 7-8; British Funding 4's, 1960-90, £111 1-2.

Retail Markets

Fruits	
Bananas, 1 lb 10; doz.	.30 to .40
Okanagan Pears, per doz.	.40 to .60
Texas, 10, 1 to 3 for	.25
Grapefruit—	
California, 3 to 5 for	.25
Lemons—	
California, doz.	.20 to .50
Oranges—	
Valencias	.15 to .40
Washington Navels	.15 to .60
Apples—	
Okanagan Delicious, per doz.	.25 to .40
Okanagan Jonathans, per doz.	.25
Okanagan Spitz, 6 lbs	.25
Okanagan Winter Banana, 9 lbs	.25
Fancy MacIntosh, per doz.	.30 to .40
Okanagan MacIntosh, 5 lbs	.25
Yellow Newtowns, 4 lbs. for	.25
Calvos, small, each	.15 to .25
Red Emperor Grapes, per lb.	.20
Pineapples, each	.35 to .40
Cranberries—	
Western, per lb.	.20
Vegetables	
Local Cabbage	.03
Peppers, green, per lb.	.25
California Cauliflower, each	.15 and .20
Local Cauliflower, each	.10 and .15
Local White Celery, each	.05
California Celery, each	.15 and .20
Local Parsley, per bunch	.05
Parsnips, lb	.04
Local Onions, lb.	.03
Local Dry Onions, 1 lb.	.04
California Globe Artichokes, each	.10
Turnips, lb	.02
Green Onions, per bunch	.05
Local Carrots, 1 bunch	.05
California Lettuce, each .10, 2 for	.15
Mexican Tomatoes, 1 lb. for	.20
Sweet Potatoes, 3 lbs. for	.25
Potatoes—	
Local Gems, 12 lbs for	.35
Ashcroft, 10 lbs for	.25
Local Potatoes, 10 lbs for	.25
Yakima Gems, 9 lbs. for	.25
Fish	
Smoked Red Salmon	.35
Soles, 2 lbs	.30
Red Salmon, lb	.28
Local Cured Black Cod	.32
Large Eastern Kippers, lb	.30
Local Kippers, 2 lbs	.25
Fresh Cod, 2 for	.25
Ladysmith Oysters, half pint	.30
Salt Cod	.25
Digby Chix, box	.28
Haddies, lb	.20
Boneless Herring	.30
Smoked Cod	.20 and .25
Haddie Fillets	.25
Fresh Smelts	.25
Local Bloaters, 2 lbs	.25
Sooke Shrimps, per lb	.30
Poultry	
Chicken, per lb	.33
Heavy Fowl, per lb.	.28
Light Fowl, per lb	.25
Turkey, No. 1	.37 to .43
Retail Beef	
Prime Rib Roast	.20 to .28
Loin Roast	.35 to .40
Pot Roast	.12, .17 and .18
T-Bone Steak	.35 to .45
Round Steak	.25 to .30
Rump Roast	.25 to .30
Boiling Beef	.13 and .14
Hamburger Steak	.15 to .20
Stew Beef (boneless)	.15 to .20
Lamb	
Shoulder	.23
Pork	
Loins	.27
Leg	.30
Shoulder	.14 to .22

FOREIGN CURRENCIES COMPILED ON BASIS OF CANADIAN DOLLAR

MONTREAL, Feb. 2 (CP).—British and foreign exchange, nominal rates between banks only: China, Hongkong dollar, .2742; Finland, finmark, .0200; France, franc, .025044; Great Britain, pound, 4.43-4.47; Holland, florin, .5895; Italy, lire, .0561; Japan, yen, .2609; Switzerland, franc, .2490.

EARNINGS MANIFEST SHARP IMPROVEMENT

TORONTO, Feb. 2 (CP).—Sharp improvement in the earning position of Gypsum, Lime & Alabastine for the fiscal year ended with November was reported today. Manufacturing profit totaled $1,055,000, compared with $930,000 in 1938. Net profit was $200,452 against $92,833 in the previous year.

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Australia 4½%, 1956	80.50	82.50
Bolivia 7%, 1958	3.25	4.00
Chile 6%, 1961	13.25	15.25
Colombia 6%, 1961	30.75	31.75
Germany 4½%, 1965	8.00	9.00
Italy 7%, 1951	69.50	71.00
Japan 6½%, 1954	78.50	81.50
Peru 6%, 1961	9.25	10.00
Sydney 5½%, 1955	84.50	89.50
United Kingdom 4%, 1990	87.00	89.50

Above prices in New York

INCREASE PRODUCTION OF TURNER VALLEY OIL

Field production, Turner Valley, has been increased to 21,000 barrels per day from 18,000 barrels. This time last year the field allowable was 10,000 and only reached 21,000 barrels in May.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

OTTAWA, Feb. 2 (CP).—The Foreign Exchange Control Board announced today's exchange rates were unchanged at:

American funds—10 per cent premium buying; 11 per cent premium selling.

Sterling—$4.43 buying; $4.47 selling.

WANTS U.S.A.-BRITISH UNION

Advocates Wide Federation To Form Basis for New World Order

A nucleus for political organization in a union of the British Commonwealth and the United States, with France forming a bridgehead, as the basis for a new world order, was seen as a necessity by Dr. G. E. G. Catlin, English author and lecturer, who visited the city yesterday to address the Victoria Branch of the Canadian Institute of International Affairs.

"I want to see the federal union now of the forty-eight states already federated in the United States and the thirty odd provinces and states and political unity of the British Commonwealth, perhaps with France included, along with England, for strategic and economic reasons that already at this moment are showing themselves so decisive and clear," he said.

Pointing out that "we have it in our hands to build a power compared with which Herr Hitler's wildest dream will seem a very paltry affair," Dr. Catlin stated that "this federation would be primarily a new world power of immense territorial mass."

COULD NOT IGNORE

"With all Anglo-American misunderstandings removed, it would be able to make advance in Pan-American union, but it would also include Australia, and it would find a buffer or fringe in the European Atlantic seaboard, in Britain and France, against some German-Russian grouping which even North America could not ignore and to which it could not be indifferent," he declared.

A graduate and triple prizeman of Oxford, Dr. Catlin is well known in the United States and Europe, and has lectured at Harvard, Yale, Cornell and Duke universities. After addressing the Canadian Institute here last night at the Dominion Hotel, he returned to the Mainland to resume a trans-continental tour.

New York Curb

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
American Super Power	[illegible]	[illegible]
American Gas & Electric	36½	36¾
Associated Gas & Electric	[illegible]	[illegible]
American Cyanamide "B"	34¼	34½
Aluminum of America	148	148½
Arkansas Natural Gas Pfd.	7½	7¾
E. W. Bliss Corpn.	13½	14
Bunker Hill & Sullivan	12½	13
British Amer. Tob. Co. Ord.	20	21½
Creole Petroleum	20¼	20½
Cities Service Com.	4	4½
Electric Bond & Share	6⅞	7
Humble Oil	60½	61½
Hygrade Food Products	2½	2⅞
Lone Star Gas Company	9½	9¾
Newmont Mining	71½	73½
Niagara Hudson Power	5	5½
Premier Gold	1	1⅛
Pioneer Gold	1½	1¾
St. Regis Paper	2⅞	3
Standard Oil of Kentucky	20½	20¾
Republic Aircraft	6	6½
United Gas Co.	1⅝	1¾

SILVER MARKETS

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP).—Bar silver 34 3-4, unchanged.

MONTREAL, Feb. 2 (CP).—Silver futures closed unchanged today. No sales. Bid: February 37.75.

SILENT REPROACH

Singleton—"I never think of judging a married woman by her clothes."

Wedderly—"No?"

Singleton—"No. I always judge her by the buttons missing from her husband's clothes."

LICENSED SANITONE CLEANER
New Method LAUNDRIES LIMITED

NAVAL CLUB PLAN BEFORE COUNCIL

Alderman R. A. C. Dewar announced yesterday that the lands committee would suggest to the City Council at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon that the former Union Club building at Douglas and Courtney Streets be turned over to the Royal Canadian Navy for use as a sailors' club.

He added that the committee would suggest the building be provided rent free for six months with monthly payments to cover taxes after that date.

He understood the Royal Canadian Navy would install a new heating plant, recreational facilities and sleeping quarters for men in uniform.

It will also be recommended by the lands committee that the Salvation Army receive use of the Duck Block on Broad Street at a rental of $25 per month. The building will be converted into an all-services canteen.

Metal Markets

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP).—Copper steady; electrolytic spot 11.62 1-2; export, f.a.s. N.Y. 11.60. Tin barely steady; spot and nearby 45.25; forward 44.75. Lead steady; spot, New York 5.25 to 5.30; East St. Louis 5.10. Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and forward 5.50. Quicksilver 180.00 to 182.50 nominal.

MONTREAL, Feb. 2 (CP).—Spot: Copper, electrolytic, 12.50; tin, 61; lead, 5.50; zinc, 5.65; antimony 15.25; per 100 pounds f.o.b. Montreal, five-ton lots.

LONDON, Feb. 2 (AP).—Tin spot £236 bid, £236 10s asked; future £236 bid, £236 5s asked.

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

TORONTO, Feb. 2 (CP).—Commoil, Limited, today declared a dividend of one cent a share, payable February 28 to holders of record February 15. The dividend calls for distribution and will bring to $104,606 the amount distributed this year by the Turner Valley oil companies.

TORONTO, Feb. 2 (CP).—Sundance Royalties today announced a distribution of one cent a share on the entire issue capital of 1,500,000 shares, involving $22,500. Payment was made January 28 to holders of record January 20. The company has now disbursed a total of $202,904 in dividends. Previous payment was also one cent per share.

TORONTO, Feb. 2 (CP).—San Antonio Gold Mines, Rice Lake area, produced $1,245,429 from milling 117,787 tons of ore in 1939 for an average recovery of $10.57 per ton, according to the statement issued today. This compared with $1,102,180 from 117,373 tons for an average of $9.39 per ton during 1938. Operating costs were $4.61 per ton, compared with $5.65 the previous year.

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AROUND the DIAL

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

10:55 a.m.—Lily Pons, coloratura soprano, will sing the title role of Donizetti's "Lucia Di Lammermoor." The cast also includes Frederick Jagel, tenor, and Richard Bonelli, baritone. CBR, KJR.

4:00 p.m.—"Should There Be an Embargo on Export of War Materials to Japan?" is the topic for discussion on the broadcast of "People's Platform." KIRO, KVI.

6:00 p.m.—A description will be given of the Chicago Black Hawks-Toronto Maple Leafs hockey fixture. CBR.

7:00 p.m.—Bernardino Molinari will conduct his fifth and final concert with the N.B.C. Symphony Orchestra. KJR, KGO.

NEWS BROADCASTS TODAY

Morning—8:00, CBR, CJOR; 8:15, KIRO, CFCT; 9:15, KOL; 11:00, CJOR; 12 noon, KOL.

Afternoon — 1:15, KJR; 2:30, KIRO, CJOR, CFCT; 2:45, CBR, KJR; 3:45, KOL.

Evening—6:30, KJR, CFCT; 6:45, CJOR; 7:15, KOL; 7:30, CBR; 8:45, CBR; 9:00, CJOR; 9:30, KJR; 10:15, KIRO; 10:30, CJOR; 11:00, CBR, KOL.

TOMORROW'S HIGHLIGHTS

11:00 a.m.—The Hart House String Quartette will commence the first of a series of recitals from Toronto. CBR.

3:00 p.m.—William Powell will be heard on the "Silver Theatre" broadcast in "Parent by Proxy," under the direction of Conrad Nagel. KIRO, KVI, CBR.

3:30 p.m.—Elmo Tanner and his $10,000 whistle will be featured in "Ciri-biri-bin" as a musical highlight of "Beat the Band," new musical quiz show. KOMO.

6:00 p.m. — Grace Moore will return to the "Sunday Evening Hour" for her third appearance of the 1939-40 season. KIRO, KVI.

6:45 p.m.—Joe Louis will be interviewed by Bill Stern from the fighter's Pompton Lakes, New Jersey, training camp. Stern in New York, also will introduce during the two-way broadcast Louis' manager, John Roxborough, and his trainer, Jack Blackburn. KJR, KGO.

7:00 p.m.—"Broom Stages," the story of a 200-year dynasty of one "great family" of the theatre, will co-star Helen Hayes and Orson Welles. KIRO, CBR.

NEWS BROADCASTS TOMORROW

Morning—9:30, CBR.

Afternoon—12:30, KOMO, CFCT; 2:00, CJOR; 3:45, CBR.

Evening—7:00, CJOR; 8:00, CBR; 9:00, KOL, CJOR; 10:00, KOMO; 10:15, KIRO, 11:00, CBR.

Key Station Wave Lengths

C.B.C. NETWORK—CBR (1100).
N.B.C. RED NETWORK—KOMO (920), KPO (680), KFI (640).
N.B.C. BLUE NETWORK—KJR (970), KGO (790).
COLUMBIA NETWORK—KIRO (710), KNX (1050), KVI (560).
MUTUAL - DON LEE NETWORK—KOL (1270).
VICTORIA—CFCT (1450).
VANCOUVER—CJOR (600).

Saturday's Programme

(The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change.)

8:00 A.M.—News (CBR, CJOR).
Armchair Quartette (KOMO).
Norman Cloutier's Orchestra (KJR).
Rhythm and Romance (KIRO).
Model Airplane Club (KOL).

8:15 A.M.—Norman Cloutier's Orch. (CBR).
Smilin' Ed. McConnell (KOMO).
Newsreel, Johnny Forrest (KIRO).
This Wonderful World (KOL).
Ranch Boys (CJOR).

8:30 A.M.—Tempo Time (CBR).
Glenn Burhurt (KOMO).
Morning Reveries (KJR).
Ohio State University Programme (KIRO)
U.S. Navy Band (KOL).
Blue Barron's Orchestra (CJOR).

8:45 A.M.—Dorothy Lee (KOMO).
Concert Interlude (CJOR).

9:00 A.M.—Eastman Symphony Orchestra (CBR).
School of Music (KOMO).
News Reporter (KJR).
Country Journal (KIRO).
Ray Daughters (KOL).
Shut-In Programme (CJOR).

9:15 A.M.—Studio Party (KJR).
News (KOL).
The Gospel Clinic (CJOR).

9:30 A.M.—Children's Scrapbook (CBR)
Call to Youth (KOMO).
National Farm and Home Hour (KJR).
Let's Pretend (KIRO).
Dick O'Heren, tenor (KOL).

9:45 A.M.—W.P.A. Symphony (KOMO).
Homemakers (KOL).
Tropical Moods (CJOR).

10:00 A.M.—Under the Big Top (CBR)
Dance Orchestra (KOMO).
Hyatt Glee Club (KIRO)
Youth Makes a Record (KOL).
Melody Time (CJOR).

10:15 A.M.—Closing Stocks (CBR).
Calling All Stamp Collectors (KOMO).
Morning Varieties (CJOR).

10:30 A.M.—Al Donahue's Orchestra (CBR).
Mary Louise Roderick (KJR).
Patty Jean (KOMO).
Front Page Drama (KIRO).
Jane Bartol's Orchestra (KOL).

10:45 A.M.—Ray Kinney's Orchestra (KOMO)
Dance Orchestra (KJR).
Dance Orchestra (KIRO).
On the Mall (CJOR).

10:55 A.M.—Metropolitan Opera (CBR, KJR).

11:00 A.M.—Discussion Committee Programme (KOMO).
Brush Creek Follies (KIRO).
Oberlin on the Air (KOL).
News (CJOR).

11:15 A.M.—Memory Melodies (CJOR)

11:30 A.M.—Barron Elliott's Melodies (KIRO)
Gene Krupa's Orchestra (KOL).
Organ Moods (CJOR).

11:45 A.M.—On With the Dance (CJOR)

12:00 Noon—Golden Melodies (KOMO).
Chamber Orchestra (KIRO).
News (KOL).
Circle "K" Club (CJOR).

12:15 P.M.—Alice Prowse (KOMO).
Businessmen's Committee (KOL).

12:30 P.M.—Doi Brissett's Orchestra (KOMO).
News at Noon (KIRO, CJOR).

12:45 P.M.—Vera Broadsky, concert pianist (KIRO).
Bill McCune's Orchestra (KOL).
Concert Miniature (CJOR).

1:00 P.M.—Campus Capers (KOMO)
Bull Session (KIRO).
Sonny Sweetheart's Band (KOL).

1:15 P.M.—Exchange Programme (CBR).
News (KJR).
Bahamas Handicap (KOL).
Musical Workshop (CJOR).

1:30 P.M.—KSTP Presents (KOMO).
Magic Waves (KJR).
Buffalo Presents (KIRO).
Old Refrains (CJOR).

1:45 P.M.—Rex Maupin's Orchestra (KJR).
Music in a Mellow Mood (KOL).
Rosario Bourdon's Orchestra (CJOR).
News (CBR, KJR).

2:00 P.M.—News (CBR, KJR).
Dance Orchestra (KJR).
Sunset and Vine (KOMO).
The Human Adventure (KIRO).
Sammy Kaye's Orchestra (KOL).
Studio Party (CJOR).

2:15 P.M.—Dance Orchestra (KJR).

2:30 P.M.—Ella Fitzgerald's Orchestra (CBR, KJR).
Del Courtney's Orchestra (KOMO).
Henry Kine's Orchestra (KIRO).
Sammy Kaye's Orchestra (KOL).
Radio Rascals (CJOR).

2:45 P.M.—Art Question Box (CBR).

3:00 P.M.—Weekly Sports Parade (CBR).
Kaltenmeyer's Kindergarten (KOMO).
Uncle Frank's Children's Matinee (KJR).
News, Albert Warner (KIRO).
Buckeye Four (KOL).
Symphony Hour (CJOR).

3:15 P.M.—Concert Music (CBR).
Nan Wynn (KIRO).

3:30 P.M.—Hawaiian Trio (CBR)
Religion in the News (KOMO).
World Peace (KIRO)
Symphonic Strings (KOL).

3:45 P.M.—Southwestern Serenade (CBR).
Senator Robert R. Reynolds, talk (KOMO).
Today in Europe (KIRO).
News (KOL).

4:00 P.M.—Styled by McIvor (CBR).
Betty Barrett (KOMO).
Message of Israel (KJR).
The People's Platform (KIRO).
Trojan Horses (KOL).
Nathaniel Shilkret (CJOR).

4:15 P.M.—Organ Moods (KOMO).
Concert Time (KOL).
Famous Voices (CJOR).

4:30 P.M.—Al Donahue's Orch. (CBR).
Art for Your Sake (KOMO).
Dance Orchestra (KJR).
Sky Blazers (KIRO)
Morton Gould's Orchestra (KOL).
Tea Dance (CJOR).

4:45 P.M.—Dictators and Democrats (CBR).

5:00 P.M.—Share the Wealth (CBR).
Arch Obler's Plays (KOMO).
Carl Ravazza's Orchestra (KJR).
Accordiana (KIRO).
Stirling Young's Orchestra (KOL).
The Ranger's Cabin (CJOR).

5:15 P.M.—Howard Costigan (KIRO).

5:30 P.M.—Wayne King's Orchestra (CBR, KIRO).
Stop Me If You've Heard This One (KOMO)
Radio Guild (KJR).
Hawaii Calls (KOL).
Anything Goes (CJOR).

6:00 P.M.—Hockey Broadcast (CBR).
Youth vs. Age (KOMO).
Scandinavian Reporter (KJR).
South American Way (KIRO).
Suppertime Melodies (KOL).
Supper Dance (CJOR).

6:30 P.M.—Rhythm by Ricardo (KOMO).
News (KJR)
Dorothy Cordray (KIRO).
John B. Hughes (KOL)
Can You Tell? (CJOR).

6:45 P.M.—Aloha Land (KJR).
Saturday Night Serenade (KIRO).
Betty Jane Rhodes (KOL).
News (CJOR).

7:00 P.M.—Caravan (KOMO).
N.B.C. Symphony Orch. (KJR).
Hollywood Whispers (KOL).
Symphony (CJOR).

7:15 P.M.—Public Affairs (KIRO).
News (KOL).

7:30 P.M.—News. N.B.C. Symphony (CBR).
What's My Name? (KOMO).
Gay Nineties (KIRO).
Imperial Intrigue (KOL).

7:45 P.M.—Sports Huddle (KIRO).

8:00 P.M.—National Barn Dance (KOMO).
News, Leighton Noble's Orchestra (KIRO)
Art Russell's Orchestra (KOL).

8:30 P.M.—Del Courtenay's Orchestra (CBR)
Dance Orchestra (KJR).
Gangbusters (KIRO).
Ken Baker's Orchestra (KOL).

8:45 P.M.—News (CBR).

9:00 P.M.—Old Brigade (CBR).
Hedwa Heidt's Orchestra (KOMO)
Marriage Club (KJR).
Your Hit Parade (KIRO)
Newspaper of the Air (KOL).
News (CJOR).

9:15 P.M.—Cavalcade of Drama (KOL)
Basketball Broadcast (CJOR).

9:30 P.M.—Happy Valley (CBR).
News (KJR).
Joe Sander's Orchestra (KOL).

9:45 P.M.—Ski Reports; Dance Orch (KJR)
It's a Case of Books (KIRO).

10:00 P.M.—Chuck Foster's Orchestra (CBR)
Eddie Fitzpatrick's Orchestra (KOMO).
On With the Dance (KJR).
Nick Stuart's Orchestra (KOL).

10:15 P.M.—Dance Orchestra (KJR)
News Roundup (KIRO).

10:30 P.M.—Mart Kenney's Orchestra (CBR)
Jan Garber's Orchestra (KOMO).
Songs in the Night (KJR).
Vincent Lopez' Orchestra (KIRO).
Leon Modica's Orchestra (KOL).
News (CJOR).

10:45 P.M.—Ole Olson's Orchestra (CJOR).

11:00 P.M.—News (CBR, KOL).
Gary Nottingham's Orchestra (KOMO).
Paul Carson (KJR).
Harry Owens' Orchestra (KIRO).

11:15 P.M.—The Music Box (CBR).
Skinnay Ennis' Orchestra (KOL)
Rhythm Mart (CJOR).

11:30 P.M.—Paul Carson (CBR).
Archie Lovaland's Orchestra (KOMO)

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STUDENTS' CLUB WELL RECEIVED

Oak Bay High School Drama Group Entertain Audience of 475

An audience of 475 crowded the Oak Bay High School auditorium last night for a programme presented by the School Drama Club. With a membership of 150, this organization provided some first-rate talent.

Given in two sections, the entertainment had two masters of ceremonies, Bob Boe, president of the Drama Club, and Robert Jarvis Read, who, at the end of the show, expressed his society's thanks to the various members of the faculty who had assisted.

Costumes, scenery and other details were all the handiwork of the Drama Club members.

In the playlets, good technique was noticed, and in the several other items of the programme it was evident that the organization was encouraging the development of all the arts of the theatre.

THE PROGRAMME

The programme was as follows: Oak Bay High School Choir (seventy-five voices), three waltzes and a medley; playlet, "French as She Is Spoke," with Sheila McCabe as Madame Duhamel, Athol Sutherland Brown as M. Duhamel, Gwen Griffith as the maid, and Harry English as M. Dubois; playlet, "The Message," Bob Hetherington as Spike Dougan and Allen Macfarlane as Malone; comedy war skit, "Over the Top," Arnold Walker as First Whisper, David Havard as Second Whisper, and Stanley Currie as Third Whisper.

"Pandora's Box," a classical playlet, was of serious character, with Maureen Yates in the role of Pandora, Molly McCallum as Epimetheus, and Jean Murray as Hermes. The Oak Bay High School Choir provided the chorus of Greek maidens, all wearing the classical Greek dress.

Also in this section of the programme was the violin solo by Patricia Williams, accompanied by Dorothy Francis; the comic "Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra," of four pieces, conducted with great gusto by David Simpson, and comprising Jack Borman, Bob Nichols, Ronnie Barker and Bill Bird. A beautiful ballerina, Molly McCallum, in a fantasy which enchanted the audience, was followed by something in complete contrast, the burlesque, "Pie and Tart." Directed by Sheila McCabe, this clever little farce was brightly played by Ted Clayards as Jean, Gordon Laugh as Pierre, Margaret Coulter as Mme. Galtier, and Dennis Young as M. Galtier.

The second half of the programme introduced the following: "Noises Off," played by R. Barker as Nan, H. Soulsby as the wife, Walter Blandy as the detective, and Jack Barman as the stranger; Jean Dumerton, accompanied by Mr. Peaker, sang "I Dreamt I Dwelt in Marble Halls"; a minuet, danced by Phyllis Mill, Margaret Junget, Jean Campbell and Nancy Stevenson, with Gwen Willcock and Mrs. Herrin accompanying; and "The Potboiler," played by Roger Harris, Jean Beckler, Daphne Gill, Dorothy Watson, David Simpson and Bob Doe.

Mary Jane Cathey Is Laid at Rest

CHEMAINUS, Feb. 2—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Jane Cathey, wife of Mr. Charles Burton Cathey, of Chemainus, took place at 2 o'clock from the family residence to Chemainus Cemetery, on Thursday afternoon. The simple funeral service, conducted by Rev. E. M. Cook, assisted by Dr. F. W. Dafoe, included the singing of three favorite hymns. Honorary pallbearers were James Catheart and Thomas Porter, who had known the late Mrs. Cathey when she came here as a bride in 1899 from San Luis Obispo, Cal. Active pallbearers were John Coles, L. H. Robinson, C. Ridgeway, A. Work, D. Maxwell and Alex Porter.

Announcements

Miss Hanman, Specialist (Certificate, Mrs. Pomeroy, London, Eng.). Superfluous hair, moles and other blemishes removed by electrolysis, the only method approved by the medical profession. Miss Hanman, who has practised in Victoria for over twenty-five years, guarantees an absolute cure, providing only that the necessary number of treatments are taken to insure success. 503 Scollard Building. Phone G 7642.

Women's Canadian Club—Bridge, Oakbay Beach Hotel, February 6, at 2:30. Prizes given and tea guests welcome. Admission $1.00, in aid of Bursary Fund.

The Old Charming Inn, Oak Bay seafront — Open all winter; comfortable rooms; excellent meals. G 0267.

Hawthorne Circle King's Daughters' rummage sale, Saturday, February 3, 10 o'clock, 719 View Street.

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Russian Prisoner of War

A Wounded Russian Soldier, His Fighting Days Over, Dictates a Letter to His Loved Ones at Home as He Lies in a Finnish Hospital, a Prisoner of War.

City and District

On Estimates—A second meeting to deal with annual estimates will be held by the Victoria School Board at 7:30 o'clock Monday night.

Alter Dwelling—Glen Twamley secured a $600 city building permit yesterday to alter a dwelling at 1606 Belcher Avenue into a two-family residence.

Car Found—An automobile stolen from D. J. Mugford, 531 Monterey Avenue, was found on the grounds of Spring Ridge School yesterday morning.

For Intoxication—A man who pleaded guilty in the city police court to a charge of being intoxicated on Yates Street was fined $25, or in default five days in jail.

Cyclist Warned—A cyclist who admitted in the city police court that he hung on to an automobile along Douglas Street was fined $2. Magistrate Hall issued a stern warning against the dangerous practice.

Cars Collide—Automobiles driven by Akbar Singh, 2814 "A" Street, and Wong Sing, 1714 Government Street, were both damaged at 10:45 o'clock yesterday morning when they collided at Government and Fisgard Streets.

Cash Stolen—Oak Bay police reported that a burglar who used a ladder to climb into a second-story bedroom of Colonel F. R. Smyly's house at 644 Beach Drive, stole $60 in cash while the family sat in the living-room below.

Dickens Fellowship—The Dickens birthday celebration dinner will be held in Spencer's dining-room on Saturday evening, February 10. For further information and reservations phone E 8701. All interested in Charles Dickens and his works are cordially invited to attend.

Two Convicted—On charges of being night walkers with no visible means of support, Bertha Barrleau and Leola Whims, both colored, were each fined $25 in the city police court. In default of payment, they were each ordered to serve thirty days in jail.

Overseas League—The Overseas League will meet on Monday at 2:30 p.m., at the Empress Hotel. John Kyle, president of The Island Arts and Crafts Society, will be the guest speaker. His subject will be "The Arts and Crafts of British Columbia."

Light Taken—Mrs. J. C. Nichol, 729 Pemberton Road, reported to police yesterday that a fog light and fender guide had been stolen from her car. E. Harrap, 1156 May Street, reported that a concrete gate post had been broken off outside his dwelling.

Premier at New York—At New York yesterday for a brief visit with his brother, Premier Pattullo is expected back in the city towards the end of next week, it was learned yesterday at the Legislative Buildings. The day passed in provincial circles without announcement here.

File Estimates—The city comptroller and treasurer has received estimates from the fire department, city clerk, assessor and collector, library and Aged and Infirm Men's Home. The annual budget will be considered by the City Council early in March.

Eleven Fined — Three motorists were each fined $5 in the city police court for ignoring stop signs. Two each paid fines of $2.50 for failing to park within twelve inches of street curbs. Another was fined $10 for speeding past a school zone. Five were each fined $2.50 for parking over the hour limit.

City's Temperatures — Maximum and minimum temperatures recorded yesterday at the Dominion Meteorological Observatory on Gonzales Hill were 48 and 37 degrees, respectively. At Victoria College the maximum temperature yesterday was 49 degrees and the minimum was the same as at Gonzales.

Makes Complaint—A motorist who pleaded guilty in the city police court to parking in a prohibited area at the southeast corner of Fort and Douglas Streets complained that another machine in the same area had not received a summons. Constable Charles Webb testified that he placed eight traffic tickets on cars in the same area.

Minor Appointments—William B. Fraser, Ucluelet, was appointed by provincial order yesterday as a justice of the peace. Frank L. Kitto, city clerk at Ladysmith, was given powers of attestation. Elgin Cummings, Harrison Springs, was made a notary public, and several provincial constables listed as marriage registrars.

Car On Fire—A car registered in the name of W. T. McLaughlin, Cordova Bay, was damaged by fire at 5:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon as it was parked at Oswego and Ontario Streets. City firemen extinguished the blaze after the top of the car had been burned off. A chimney fire at 1221 Oxford Street was put out by the department at 8:28 a.m. yesterday.

Report Given—The report of the medical superintendent to Queen Alexandria Solarium for January showed the total number of patients at January 31 as 53; admissions during January, 1; discharged, 3; consultations, 5; operations, 3; X-rays, 24; laboratory examinations, 251; casts reinforced, 1; physiotherapy treatments, 907, and electrocardiograms, 2.

Sentence Held—A Salvation Army officer who admitted in the city police court that he failed to slow his car down to fifteen miles per hour past a school zone offered the excuse that he had been proceeding to an urgent meeting at the City Hall, and his mind was concentrated on army work. In view of the good work of the Salvation Army, Magistrate Henry C. Hall suspended the sentence.

Two Injured — An automobile driven by Mrs. Dorothy S. Hume, 784 Hillside Avenue, sustained considerable damage at 2 o'clock yesterday morning when it struck an electric light pole at Esquimalt Road and Henry Street. Fred Morton and Charles Robinson, passengers, were treated at the Jubilee Hospital for minor injuries. Constables Thomas Stevenson and James Strong attended the accident.

Change Regulations—Regulations 12, 17, 18 and 20 under the British Columbia Insurance Act were changed by order in council this week, the former regulations being deleted, and new ones drafted in substitution. The change affects machinery for the investigation and report by the Superintendent of Insurance and the Insurance Board in connection with the licensing of agents; and is technical in scope.

Has Explanation — H. P. McDowell, 238 Edward Street, who was born here in 1868, has offered an explanation in connection with the recent finding of an Indian skull on the Cameron Lumber Company, Ltd., property. According to Mr. McDowell, the spot where the skull was located at one time held an Indian burial ground where bodies were left on top of the earth. The skull is now at the Provincial Museum.

Pass Examinations—The Institute of Chartered Accountants of British Columbia announces that in the recent uniform examinations set throughout the Dominion by a joint committee consisting of representatives of each Provincial Institute of Chartered Accountants in Canada, the British Columbia results were as follows: Final accounting and auditing examinations, J. W. Bootle, W. G. Rathie, C. E. R. Bazett, W. A. Hobson, D. A. Lloyd-Jones and J. T. Watt; intermediate, J. C. Melville, G. M. Miller and L. P. Douglas.

ARTILLERYMEN HEAR CONCERT

Infantrymen Provide Variety Show That Draws Well-Merited Applause

Arranged by Sergeant Stanley James, the First Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment, entertained the artillerymen at Rodd Hill on Wednesday evening with a variety concert programme that proved very popular, each of the artists drawing well-merited applause.

Highlighting the show was the visit of Miss Dorothy Parsons, who sang six numbers, and there were loud demands that she and her clever accompanist, Miss Maquinna Daniels, return soon and give the troops some more. Both ladies received a great reception.

Opening with rousing tunes by the pipe band, under Pipe-Major J. Marrs, the programme included: Delightful singing by Tom Obee; entertaining concertina and violin duet by Bill Holmes and Bill Anderson; clever magician act by William Harkness, and the noted "Yorkie" and his droll doll.

The "Five K-Nuts" gave a pleasing musical number before Miss Parsons and Miss Daniels took the troops by storm. Then came Sergeant James with his burlesque comedy; Rex Carey with a hulu dance that rocked the house, and Private Marshall with a well-applauded skipping-rope act. More tunes from the pipe band; a recitation and song from Lance-Corporal Gibson, and the concert closed with the traditional National Anthem.

Bombardier T. Burgess was the master of ceremonies, and Corporal W. Emmerton acted as accompanist for the show.

Agreement May Be Ready in Month

OTTAWA, Feb. 2 (CP). — Completion of the Lawrence seaway agreement for signing within a month was reported in prospect here tonight, although officials directly concerned declined to comment on the possibility.

The negotiations are reported proceeding through the final stages without difficulty and a joint committee of Canadian and American engineers is understood to be working out details of the plan.

Little Stories for Bedtime

Peter Discovers Linnet

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

It didn't take Peter long to find the sweet singer whose happy trills had caught his attention. He spied him sitting on the tip-top of a fir tree in Farmer Brown's yard. Peter didn't dare go over there for already it was broad daylight. But he didn't have to, for the sweet singer flew over in the Old Orchard and alighted just over Peter's head. "Hello, Peter!" he cried.

"Hello, Linnet!" cried Peter.

"Hello, Linnet!" cried Peter. "I was wondering who it could be who was singing like that. I ought to have known, but you see it is so long since I've heard you sing that I couldn't remember your song. I'm so glad you came over here for I'm just dying to talk to somebody."

Linnet the Purple Finch, for this is who it was, laughed right out. "I see you're still the same old Peter," said he. "I suppose you're just as full of curiosity as ever, and just as full of questions. Well, here I am, so what shall we talk about?"

"You," replied Peter promptly. "Lately I've found out so many surprising things about my feathered friends that I want to know more. I'm trying to get it straight in my head who is related to who, and I've found out some things which have begun to make me feel that I know very little about my feathered neighbors. It's getting so that I don't even dare guess who a person's relatives are. If you please, Linnet, what family do you belong to?"

Linnet flew down a little nearer to Peter. "Look me over, Peter," said he with twinkling eyes. "Look me over and see if you can tell for yourself."

Peter stared solemely at Linnet. He saw a bird of Sparrow size whose entire body was a rose red, brightest on the head, darkest on the back, and palest on the breast. Underneath he was whitish. His wings and tail were brownish, the outer parts of the feathers edged with rose red. His bill was short and stout. Before Peter could reply Mrs. Linnet appeared. There wasn't so much as a touch of that beautiful rose red about her. Her greyish brown back was streaked with black. Her white breast and sides were spotted with streaks of brown. Had she not been with Linnet, Peter certainly would have taken her for a sparrow. She looked so much like one that he ventured to say, "I guess you belong to the Sparrow family."

"That's pretty close, Peter, that's pretty close," declared Linnet. "We belong to the Finch branch of the family, which makes the Sparrows cousins to us. Folks may get Mrs. Linnet mixed with some of our Sparrow cousins but they never can mistake me. There is nobody else my size with a rose red coat like mine. Hello! Here comes Cousin Chicoree."

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Valuable Brooch Lost by Actress

During her visit to Victoria this week, Miss Ruth Draper, who gave two performances at the Royal Victoria Theatre in aid of the Red Cross Society, lost a valuable brooch. It was of particular sentimental value, having belonged to her mother, and was designed with her name, "Ruth," in diamonds.

Miss Draper spent Wednesday morning shopping in town, and later drove along Government Street to the Dallas Road, where she left the car and followed the footpath round the shore overlooking the sea as far as Ross Bay.

Miss Draper was obliged to leave Victoria without having found any trace of the missing brooch. A liberal reward is offered for its return to the private secretary's office at Government House.

Report of Ship Sinking Is Untrue

LONDON, Feb. 2 (CP).—Authoritative British sources said tonight that a German report of the torpedoing and sinking of the British steamship Oregon was untrue.

Reuters News Agency quoted the German radio as reporting that the Oregon, 6,008 tons, had been torpedoed 140 miles off La Coruna, Spain.

DONATE THEIR PENSIONS

LONDON, Feb. 2 (CP).—Forty-six Great War pensioners have voluntarily surrendered their pensions totaling £1,773 a year as a contribution to the nation's war effort. Britain has spent £38,000,000 on Great War pensions last year, the number of pensioners having fallen to 850,000.

GOOD CASE

The dainty little wife went to a lawyer to seek a divorce.

Lawyer — "Have you weighty grounds for divorce?"

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PICKETING CAMPAIGN

OTTAWA, Feb. 2 (CP).—Two Federal Labor Department officials were en route tonight to Kirkland Lake, Ont., where a one-day picketing campaign began today at the Teck-Hughes Mines, in what was said to be a protest against an alleged "lockout" of fifty miners by the company.

TO DISCUSS DEBTS

LONDON, Feb. 2 (CP).—An envoy of the Bulgarian Finance Ministry has arrived in London to discuss settlement of the Bulgarian debt with British officials. Competent sources believe it possible British officials will take advantage of this visit to discuss such questions as the sale of Bulgarian tobacco to Britain.

PASTOR IMPROVING

SEATTLE, Feb. 2 (AP)—Marked improvement was noted today in the condition of Rev. Dr. Mark A. Matthews, seventy-two, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, critically ill from pneumonia.

NOT SO BAD

"Tommy," said the teacher, "can you quote a famous African proverb?"

After a moment's desperate thought, Tommy smiled.

"Yes, sir," he said, brightly. "The darkey's hour is just before the dawn."

PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Mrs. A. E. Hopkins Again Heads Camosun Chapter

Mrs. A. E. Hopkins was re-elected president of the Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., at the thirtieth annual meeting held yesterday afternoon at headquarters.

Other officers are as follows: Honorary regent, Mrs. James Stewart; honorary first vice-regent, Mrs. George Miles; honorary second vice-regent, Mrs. J. R. Phillips; first vice-regent, Mrs. A. F. Griffiths; second vice-regent, Miss Kathleen Agnew; secretary, Mrs. George Andrews; treasurer, Mrs. S. R. Richardson; Echoes secretary, Mrs. Janet Wilkinson; educational secretary, Mrs. R. V. Campbell; standard-bearer, Mrs. A. Mainprize. Mrs. J. M. Newcomb was reappointed war work convener.

LEGACY RECEIVED

Annual reports showed a successful year's work. All obligations had been met, and contributions made to charitable organizations, the books being closed at the end of the year with a bank balance of $816.41. This large amount was due to the receipt of $813.65, part of a legacy left to the chapter by the late Mrs. Annie Jones, a member of the chapter for many years.

The funds were augmented by means of two rummage sales and donations from members. The chapter's part in the gala at the Armoury on Founder's Day netted a good sum, and the proceeds of the tea at Municipal Chapter's annual meeting were also added to the general fund. Two new members were welcomed during the year. Calendars and framed photographs of the Royal Family were presented to the chapter's adopted school, Quadra Street, and secondary education was assisted.

WAR WORK STARTED

All officers had carried out their duties faithfully, and during the past few months the chapter has taken part in all activities in connection with war work under Municipal Chapter. Donations of clothing were sent for the evacuated children in England, and donations of knitted garments, magazines and refreshments for the troops.

Donations were made to Girl Guides, Boy Scouts, Navy League, work in India, child welfare, travellers' aid, soldiers' graves, Mary Croft cot fund, National endowment fund, T.B. Veterans, Sunshine Camp, Dawson Creek rest room, and other funds which have the chapter's interest.

Flowers were presented to Mrs. Kyrle Symons, Mrs. R. B. McMicking and to the regent, Mrs. Hopkins. A vote of thanks was accorded The Colonist and The Times for publicity during the year.

Tea was served after the meeting, Mrs. George Miles presiding at the table, which was arranged with pyrus japonica and plum blossom.

MONTHLY REPORTS

At the monthly meeting, which preceded the reading of the annual reports, donations were voted to the Family Welfare Association, and affiliation with the Local Council of Women was renewed.

Mrs. Hopkins, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Thompson Kirby and Mrs. Wriglesworth were appointed delegates to the council. Mrs. Hopkins was named National councillor, and Mrs. George Miles was appointed delegate to the Solarium annual meeting. Votes of sympathy were passed to Mrs. J. R. Hartley and Mrs. Wriglesworth in their recent bereavements.

The sum of $20 was voted to purchase wool for soldiers' and sailors' comforts. A new member, Miss Lucy George, was named.

Women's Institutes

SHAWNIGAN LAKE

An excellent attendance of members was recorded at the regular meeting of the Shawnigan Women's Institute held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. M. Gannon. Mrs. G. Orr, the president, in the chair. The meeting showed, by popular vote, its willingness to affiliate with an Institute in the British Isles, in accordance with Mrs. Alfred Watt's suggestion, as a means for direct war aid. Mrs. Watt's illness was keenly regretted, and a floral remembrance was ordered sent to her. The sum of $3 a month for the Winter months was voted toward a fund to supply milk for school children. Reports included a satisfactory account of the recent twenty-fifth anniversary Institute party, by Mrs. F. M. Gannon, and an interesting resume, by Mrs. F. T. Elford, of acts passed at the recent session of the Provincial House. A satisfactory report, sent in by Miss Betty Allen, secretary, concerning the recent St. John Ambulance home-nursing class, sponsored by the Institute, was read. Letters of gratitude were ordered sent to Mrs. A. Kingsley and Mrs. K. Bloomquist for their kindness in donating and making the cake for the recent birthday party, and to Mr. J. Lyons for decorating it. Arrangements were discussed for a card party to be held in the S.L.A.A. Hall on Tuesday, February 13. Tea was served by Mrs. Gannon and Mrs. Orr.

A Recent Bride and Groom

—Photo by Meyers.

MR. AND MRS. J. B. WORMALD
Who Were Married Here Recently. The Bride Was Formerly Miss Kathleen Gosnell.

Parties at Chemainus

Miss Phyllis O'Neal, Duncan, whose marriage takes place in Alberni on February 12 to Mr. Norman Hedley, Duncan, was the guest of honor at two delightful showers given by Chemainus hostesses during the past week. Mesdames F. Hart and C. Savory were joint hostesses at the home of the former for a novel pantry shower, to which sixteen guests were invited. Miss O'Neal was presented with a corsage bouquet of Spring flowers. The evening was spent in games and cards. On Wednesday evening Mesdames E. Hart and D. Maxwell were hostesses at the home of the former, eighteen guests being present. Following games, the bride-to-be was presented with a huge white Bible, embedded in pink roses, the marriage certificate witness page being signed by the guests present. Beneath the Bible was a container for the gifts to the bride.

P.-T.A. Activities

LUXTON-HAPPY VALLEY

The monthly meeting of the Luxton-Happy Valley Association was held in the school on Thursday with Mr. W. Bailey, the president, in the chair. The principal reported that the children were receiving great benefit from practicing basketball in Luxton Hall, and it was decided to continue supplying the hall for that purpose. A concert and dance to raise funds for this and other activities of the association will be held soon, the date to be announced shortly. Dr. Henrietta Anderson will be the guest speaker at the next meeting on March 7, her subject being "The Life and Books of John Buchan."

VICTORIA WEST

The regular meeting of the Victoria West Association will be held in the school auditorium on Monday at 8 p.m. There will be a short business meeting, followed by an address by Miss Mess, of the Children's Aid Society. Time permitting, several films will be shown, using the "Filmo" projector recently purchased by the school.

SIR JAMES DOUGLAS

The pre-school study group of Sir James Douglas School will meet on Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. S. H. Parker, 541 Cornwall Street. The subject for the study will be "Personality Changes Following Illness," and is to be discussed by Mrs. E. Boulton.

Anglican Young People

ST. MATTHIAS

After a short business meeting, St. Matthias' A.Y.P.A. held an impromptu social on Wednesday evening with St. Luke's Association. It was newspaper night, and refreshments followed. The debate, "Resolved, That Character Has More Influence in the World Than Money," was postponed until a later date.

LOCAL COUNCIL RALLY

The Victoria and District Local Council will hold its third annual pre-Lenten rally at St. Mary's Church Hall, Yale Street, Oak Bay, tomorrow at 3 p.m. The guest speakers will be Rev. R. J. Pierce, Saanichton, council chaplain, and Rev. Clarence Lee. All members are requested to attend.

INTER-BRANCH DEBATE

On Wednesday night a debate between St. Paul's and Christ Church Cathedral branches, took place at St. Paul's. The subject of the debate was: "Resolved, That Ambition Has Caused More Harm Than Good to Mankind." The Cathedral team was represented by Leonard Dixon and Chris Howland, and St. Paul's by Bill Barclay and Ray Hadfield. St. Paul's, who upheld the affirmative, won the debate. Members of St. Paul's are reminded of the pre-Lenten rally at St. Mary's on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Members were also reminded of the card party tonight at the home of Murray Evans. Whist and Chinese checkers will be played.

Clubs-Societies

Chemainus W.B.A.

The business meeting of the W.B.A., Review No. 19, was held in the Recreation Hall on Thursday night, the president, Mrs. F. Millmore, presiding, and twenty-one members present. Notice was received of the change of the convention location for 1942 to California, and the members expressed their pleasure and hope that with the nearer location many members could attend. A letter was received from the Solarium suggesting needed items with which the Review could assist. Mrs. A. Syme, ways and means convener, announced her 1940 committee: Mesdames J. McKay, P. Erickson, H. English, S. Syme, A. Bennett, J. Russell Robinson and S. White. Approval was given for a community quilt, to be in charge of the ways and means committee. Final arrangements were made for the telephone whist and cribbage party on February 13, for which several members have donated prizes. The dish towel shower from the members resulted in fifteen new towels for the Review's use. The birthday congratulations to be given from month to month will again be adopted this year. The past presidents were asked to convene the anniversary party in March. Several members were reported ill, and had been visited by Mrs. Cave and her committee. Refreshments were served after the business meeting.

Mothers' Union

The Diocesan Branch of the Mothers' Union held a general meeting in the Memorial Hall on Wednesday, with the president, Mrs. M. M. Beasley, in the chair. There was a good attendance of members from all branches. Mrs. Butterfield, enrolling member for St. Martin's-in-the-Fields, gave a report of work done by that branch. An encouraging report of the Fellowship of Marriage, St. Mary's, was given by Mrs. Herbert Clark, and a number of members were present. Miss M. E. Rathbone delivered an instructive and entertaining talk on "Women and Children of the Sudan," mentioning the great work done by the Welfare Society and Camp Hospital in that region. It was hoped that Miss Rathbone might speak again to the society. The meeting closed with prayer, and tea was served.

Fairfield W.M.S.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Association of Fairfield United Church was held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. Schroeder, 1619 Hollywood Crescent. Mrs. C. A. Fields, president of the association, presided, and a large number of members were present. Mrs. G. Piercy had charge of the devotional period, Mrs. McCaw and Mrs. G. G. Green also taking part. Several items of business were discussed, and it was decided to purchase a new kitchen range for the church manse. Plans were made to hold a St. Patrick's tea and sale of work in the social hall of the church on March 15. At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. D. J. McLean.

Housewives' League

A Victoria branch of the Housewives' League of British Columbia will be formed Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. M. E. Norton, provincial organizer, will conduct the meeting which will be held at 301 Union Building. A cordial invitation is extended to all housewives interested in raising living standards and reducing living costs.

St. Andrew's Y.W.M.S.

The Young Women's Missionary Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday at the home of Miss Jean McQueen at 8 p.m. An interesting programme has been arranged and a full attendance is hoped for. New members will be most welcome.

Cadboro Bay Guild

The Cadboro Bay Anglican Mission Women's Guild held its meeting at "Lingerfields," on Wednesday, the president in the chair. Plans were made to hold a tulip tea, home cooking, apron and flower sale on April 10 to help the funds for the proposed mission hall.

St. Matthew's Guild

The monthly meeting of St. Matthew's Guild, Langford, will be held next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. Jeffery, Dunford Road.

Weddings

GREIG—SALTER

The marriage took place quietly on January 9, at Halifax, N.S., of Ivy Lovella Salter, to Mr. William Irwin Greig, Leading Seaman, R.C.N. The ceremony was performed at 7:15 p.m. in the Rectory of St. Mark's Anglican Church by Rev. John Furlong.

Mrs. Dorothy Grosvenor attended the bride, the groom being supported by Mr. Samuel Grosvenor. A reception was held later at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grosvenor, Columbus Place. Toasts were proposed by Chief Petty Officer Dyson, and Leading Telegraphist Gould. The young couple were well known in Victoria and are now residing at 5 Merkel Place, Halifax.

GOULD—WARD

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ward, 2880 Colquitz Avenue, Victoria, announce the marriage of their only daughter, Kathleen Dudley Hume, to Mr. Sydney Oliver Gould, Regina, Sask. The wedding took place quietly on September 18, 1939.

Entertainment Given In Langford Hall

The Esquimalt Dramatic Club presented a varied programme of plays, songs and dances in the Legion Hall, Langford, on Thursday evening to a capacity audience under the auspices of the Langford Women's Institute. The programme was directed by Mr. A. Norman Brown, who also acted as chairman for the concert.

Misses Bernice Atkins, Dorothy Davidson and Phyllis Anthony, pupils of Miss Dorothy Cox, gave several clever interpretative dances, accompanied by Mrs. Evelyn Tidbury on the piano.

Taking part in the plays were Mrs. Sullivan, Messrs. A. N. Brown, Trevor Norman and P. Harrison, Mrs. B. Deane-Freeman, Mrs. A. F. Bayles, Miss L. Savage and Mrs. E. Jeffery. Mrs. W. Alsdorf, Miss Irene Fletcher, Miss Kitty Staverman, Miss Phyllis Parkinson, Miss Malloy, and other members of the club joined in the choruses. Miss Wanda Spencer was the accompanist.

On behalf of the Women's Institute, Miss L. M. A. Savory, the president thanked the members for their spirit of co-operation and kindness in arranging the enjoyable concert in aid of the Institute funds.

RED CROSS

CIVIL SERVANTS' UNIT

A Red Cross knitting group has been organized for Civil Servants. Anyone wishing to obtain wool and willing to knit, is asked to communicate with Mrs. D. Spurr, Minister of Labor's office, or telephone local number 449.

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Spinsters' Ball Draws Large Crowd to Empress Hotel—Affair Given by St. Joseph's Hospital Junior Women's Auxiliary

IT'S Leap Year! And the Spinsters' Ball held last evening at the Empress Hotel brought the fact brilliantly into the limelight. Everyone enjoyed the affair, the girls were excellent hostesses and the boys were most appreciative guests.

The ball, which is given annually by the Junior Auxiliary of St Joseph's Hospital in aid of its work in purchasing equipment for the hospital, taking care of the soldiers' ward and in aid of the auxiliary's Red Cross work, provided a series of surprises from beginning to end.

A steady stream of cars, with the ladies at the "wheel" in the majority, arrived at the Empress Hotel from 9:30 o'clock on, and from the time the drivers stepped from the cars and assisted their "boy friends" to alight, and conducted them to the check room and into the ballroom, they showed great poise as escorts. The boys, wearing fragrant corsage bouquets and nosegays, which accented the black and white of their suits, bore up nobly, some a little diffident at first, but as the evening progressed they received the attentions and courtesies of the girls, who booked their dances, offered them cigarettes, conducted them into the chairs at supper time, and assisted them with their coats on departing. They reciprocated by giving the girls their cigarette lighters and other accessories to carry.

BOYS' CHORUS

Most sporting were the group of young men who, in accord with the evening's programme of everything being reversed, appeared as dainty ballet "girls" in a specially arranged chorus. Mrs. Denis Humphries, assisted by Miss Nan Eve, was responsible for working out the routine in this Valentine ballet and designed and made the costumes. Wearing white ballet frocks decorated with red hearts, the chorus, including Messrs. Jack Woodley, David Bird, Hank Rowe, Earl Foster, Victor Eaton, Michael Ley, Walter Knott and Denis Humphries, danced to the music of Mendelssohn's "Spring Song," and went through the intricate steps of the ballet, to the delight of the onlookers. In front of the orchestra was a large Valentine, about which they danced towards the end of the number, and out of which Mr. Jack Trace, wearing a flame-colored ballet frock and holding a long red scarf, stepped forth as the soloist, dancing to the music of "Narcissus" (Nevin).

So popular was the number that the boys came back repeatedly in response to encores.

A song written specially for Leap Year was presented by the orchestra as a comic number, in which Miss Margaret Henry, the featured soloist, and Mr. Harry Holder took part. During the evening Miss Henry sang while the dancing continued, and was heard in the number, "In the Mood," which was the song hit chosen by the orchestra for the evening.

THE DECORATIONS

Behind the orchestra the letters "S.J.H." glittered, and flowers and fern decorated the front of the platform, giving the appearance of a garden. The side lights were covered with hand-painted flower shades, and in the dining-room, where a sit-down supper was served, Spring flowers decorated the tables.

The ball was given under the patronage of Mrs. V. G. Brodeur, Mrs. H. C. Greer and Mrs. G. R. Wolverton. Mrs. Norma Hood was the general convener, and her committee included Miss Phyllis Winterbottom, tickets; Miss Muriel Richards, advertising; Miss Gladwyn Beasley, decorations; Miss Bernadette Corcoran, posters, and Miss Rene Noakes, costumes.

DR. A. D. REID ON THIRD BEATITUDE

At Centennial United Church tomorrow at 11 a.m. Rev. Dr. Andrew D. Reid will take for his subject "The Third Beatitude—Meek but Mighty," and at 7:30 p.m. he will speak on "Quartus a Brother."

At the morning service the anthem, "The Prayer Perfect" (Stenson), will be rendered by a ladies' choir, and in the evening a male voice Negro spiritual, "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot," arranged by J. W. Buckler, will be given by the men of the choir. A male quartette, consisting of J. W. Pimlott, W. L. Coone, W. T. Almond and Howell Jeffreys, will sing "My Ain Countrie" (Carrie Adams).

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Boys' Chorus Seen at Spinsters' Ball

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Boys Taking Part in the Valentine Ballet, Which Was the Highlight of the Spinsters' Ball Last Evening, Are Seen From Left to Right as Follows: Standing, Jack Woodley, David Bird, Hank Rowe, Earl Foster, Victor Eaton and Michael Ley; Seated, Walter Knott, Jack Trace, the Solo Dancer, and Denis Humphries.

Social and Personal

Miscellaneous Shower

Miss Evelyn Wright, whose marriage will take place this evening, was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower last night at the home of her great-aunt, Mrs. G. Milne, Richmond Road. As the bride-to-be entered the room, the "Wedding March" was played. The gifts were arranged in a large basket decorated in a Valentine motif, red and white ribbon bows on the handles and red and white hearts on the basket. The same decoration scheme was carried out in the supper table arrangements, a central bowl holding red and white carnations and plum blossom. The guests included Mrs. N. Wright, grandmother of the bride-to-be; Mrs. W. Wright, Mrs. E. McLaughlin, Mrs. Sneddon, Sr., Mrs. D. Sneddon, Mrs. E. Hawkins, Mrs. C. Wright, Mrs. H. Campbell, Mrs. E. Hine, Mrs. Clatworthy, Mrs. Robert Gray, Mrs. Robert Young, Mrs. D. Sanders, Mrs. Dunaway, Mrs. M. Hallam, Misses Adeline Clatworthy, Irene and Doris Campbell, Sheila Sneddon, Marjorie Milne, Dolly Anderson, Marilyn Gray and Master Robert Young.

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Cup and Saucer Shower

Honoring her sister-in-law, Miss Patricia Grimmond, whose marriage to Mr. J. K. Yorston takes place in Prince Rupert this month, Mrs. John S. Grimmond, Lee Oak Apartments, entertained last evening at a delightful cup and saucer shower. The pretty gifts awaited the arrival of the bride-to-be, on a side table in the living-room, which was gaily decorated with early Spring flowers. Miss Grimmond was also presented with a corsage bouquet of yellow roses. Amusing games were played and enjoyed during the evening. A buffet supper was served later, the table being prettily arranged with a centrepiece of golden daffodils in a silver basket, lighted by yellow candles in matching holders. The guests were Mesdames S. A. Grimmond, W. J. Rennie, W. W. Rennie, C. Godson, Betty Gilmer and Misses Gladys Rennie, Lillian Stokes, Mary Doran, Doris Argyle, Phyllis Godson and Kathleen Tobin.

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Dinner Party

Mrs. G. R. Wolverton entertained at her home, 3155 Beach Drive, at a dinner party last evening before attending the Spinsters' Ball. Covers were set for sixteen and the table was centred with a fragrant bowl of Spring flowers, with iris, daffodils and narcissi predominating. The guests were Dr. and Mrs. John Sturdee, Captain and Mrs. T. McGimpsey, Misses Catherine and Jean Macdonald, Miss Kathleen Clay, Miss Norah Wilson and Mrs. G. Roberts, Mr. Alfred Hood, Lieut.-Comdr. T. Parsons, Lieut.-Cmdr. D. Hobson, Mr. Wainwright, Mr. John T. Woolsey and Captain Burnett.

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Party for Bride-to-Be

Miss Joan Fortt entertained at tea yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. R. L. Fortt, Work Point Barracks, in honor of Miss Elise Cobbett, whose marriage to Mr. Larry Henderson will take place shortly. Mrs. H. Cobbett presided at the tea table, which was arranged with a bowl of Spring flowers, flanked by silver candelabra holding lighted white tapers. Assisting in serving tea were Miss D. W. Cunnington, Miss Diana Cobbett and Miss Stephanie Campbell.

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Entertain Before Ball

Miss Evelyn Foulds, Quadra Street, and Mr. George Pownall, Cook Street, entertained at cocktail parties at their respective homes last night, later meeting at the Empress Hotel for the Spinsters' Ball. In Miss Foulds' party were Miss Helen Peden, Miss Margaret Vantreight, Mr. Chris Miller, Mr. George Beveridge and Mr. Jerry Monk, while at Mr. Pownall's home were Miss Valerie Swan, Miss Gladys Bayley, Miss Lillian Sweeney, Mr. Brian Gordon (Vancouver) and Mr. Jack Trace.

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No-Host Party

Before attending the Spinsters' Ball last evening, a no-host dinner party was held at the Belmont, Colwood. Those attending the party were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Van Horne, Misses Dorothy Freeman, Marjorie Brown, Jocelyn McGraw, Judy Pearce, Eve Lytton, Helen Parker and Muriel Winterbottom; Messrs. Charlie Copeland, Douglas Lawford, Reg Wenman, A. Kinnear, Walter Ward, Henry McCandless and Ronnie Kay.

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Buffet Supper Party

Col. and Mrs. H. C. Greer entertained at a buffet supper party last evening at their home, 1397 Esquimalt Road, before attending the Spinsters' Ball. Daffodils formed the centrepiece on the table, which was illuminated with yellow tapers. The guests were Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. H. Anderson, Capt. and Mrs. Hackling, Major T. Taylor, the Misses Kathleen and Margot Greer and Sub.-Lieut. Peter Huggins.

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Hostess at Cocktail Party

Miss Margaret Sutcliffe, Newport Avenue, was hostess at a cocktail party last evening, when her guests included Misses Terese Todd, Gladwyn Beasley, Elizabeth Martin, Ann Critchley, Gloria Wilson, Muriel Craig and Messrs. Jack Todd, John Monteith, Denis Harris, Ted Colgate, Jack Ruttan, Tom Christie and George Phillips. Later the party attended the Spinsters' Ball.

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Cocktail Party

Prior to attending the Spinsters' Ball last evening, Miss Valerie Karton, Tweedsmuir Apartments, entertained Capt. and Mrs. J. S. McCannel, Miss Zeta Clark, Capt. R. Horsey and Capt. Lewis Rounding at a cocktail party.

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In New Home

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Goodlake and family, who returned from England a short time ago, have taken up residence at 600 Foul Bay Road, the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burchett.

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Prairie Visitor Here

Miss C. B. Miller, Calgary, a frequent visitor to Victoria, has returned for another visit here. She is staying at the Empress Hotel, where she will be a guest for a week or ten days.

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Guests at Empress Hotel

Mr. and Mrs. George McIntosh, Vancouver, arrived in the city yesterday and will be guests at the Empress Hotel for a few days.

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Canadian Actor Wed in England

LONDON, Feb. 2 (CP).—Robertson Davies, Canadian actor, director and author, and Brenda Newbold, stage manager of the Old Vic Theatre, were married today in an informal ceremony at Chelsea Old Church, with Rev. R. E. Sadleir officiating.

Mr. Davies, twenty-six-year-old son of Rupert Davies, publisher of The Kingston Whig-Standard and The Peterborough Examiner and president of The Canadian Press, and Mrs. Davies, met Miss Newbold three years ago when both started working at the Old Vic. Miss Newbold, who is twenty-three, was born in Melbourne, Australia.

The wedding was attended by many theatrical friends and the bride was given away by Tyrone Guthrie, director of the Old Vic. As all of Mr. Davies' most intimate friends are on army duty, the couple decided not to have attendants.

Because the bridegroom considers wedding music to be unusually gloomy, he selected pieces from Mozart's "Marriage of Figaro," which were particularly appropriate in view of the many guests who are members of the Sadler's Wells Opera Company, which is associated with the Old Vic. A reception took place at Barrie House, Lancaster Gate.

Mr. and Mrs. Davies will spend their honeymoon at Rupert Davies' Welsh seat, "Fronfraith Hall," Albermule, Montgomeryshire, and later will make a trip to Canada.

V.H.S. Alumni Co-ed Dance Is Well Attended

Taking advantage of leap year, the young ladies escorted their boy friends to the Victoria High School Alumni co-ed dance last night at the Crystal Garden, which attracted close to 300 dancers.

Music was supplied by a popular five-piece orchestra, and special floor numbers by pupils of Miss Florence Clough's Dancing School were added entertainment to the enjoyable evening. Misses Velda Willie, Theresa Perkins and Kathleen Burns gave an exhibition in tap dancing, while Miss Kathleen Gregson, Dan Plater and Norman Colvin demonstrated a Gypsy adagio number.

Later in the evening prize spot dances with a quiz contest and several medleys were held.

The committe in charge of the affair included William Hole (chairman), Miss Marcia Beach and Messrs. Walter Parker and Donald Hughes.

Oak Bay United Has Service for Girls and Scouts

There will be a special service for the C.G.I.T. and the Scouts tomorrow morning at Oak Bay United Church as a feature of the Religious Education Sunday set aside by the church. The minister, Rev. F. R. G. Dredge, will preach. In the evening the monthly service of the young people will be held and the minister will speak on "Misinterpreting Life."

In the morning the music will consist of the anthem, "Consider and Hear Me" (Pfleuger), with the solo parts taken by Mrs. William Miller and George Burnell, and "Break, Day of God, O Break" (Stegall). In the evening the choir will sing "O Praise the Lord" (Wilton), and George Burnell will sing "Jesus, I Come" (Stebbings).

VISITOR SPEAKS AT FIRST SPIRITUALIST

The First Spiritualist Church, Sons of England Hall, 1216 Broad Street, is pleased to announce a return visit of Rev. Bernard Rodin, D.S.S., recently ordained as a minister of Divine science. On Sunday Mr. Rodin will give a trance address, the subject being "Why We Survive Death," with messages at the close. The song service starts promptly at 7:15. The violin soloist will be Mr. Rodin, and after the lecture there will be a public message circle.

On Monday afternoon, there will be a psychometry circle in the small hall, commencing at 2:30 p.m., and on Tuesday evening a lecture in the large hall at 8. The Thursday open door circle will be held in the Women's Institute rooms, Fort Street, at 7:45 p.m., with Mrs. S. Etheridge in charge.

WILL OBSERVE LORD'S SUPPER

Preparation for Communion Is Sermon Subject at First Baptist

"Preparation for Communion" will be Rev. G. A. Reynolds sermon subject at First Baptist Church tomorrow morning. In the evening he will speak on "The Higher and Lower Count." Following the morning service, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed.

In the morning the choir will render the anthem, "Holy Art Thou" (Handel), and "O Saviour of the World." At the evening service the anthem will be Mendelssohn's "Saviour, When Night Involves the Sky," and Mrs. Jackson will sing "There Is a Green Hill."

TO SPEAK ON OUR RICHES IN CHRIST

At the Emmanuel Baptist Church this Lord's Day morning the pastor, Dr. Andrew S. Imrie, B.A., B.Th., will give a special message to the believers on "Our Riches in Christ." The ordinance of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the close of the morning service.

Dr. Imrie will continue his series of evening sermons on "Men Who Did Things in Past History," his fourth address being "The Man Who Covenanted With God in Business." At this service Miss Catherine Craig, soprano, will be the guest soloist, and young people and members of the B.Y.P.U. are especially invited. The choir will sing appropriate anthems.

Special services for the week include the mid-week service for prayer and fellowship on Tuesday at 8 p.m., the young people's preparatory class on Friday at 3:30 p.m., and the men's prayer circle on Saturday at 8 o'clock.

Eat, Drink and Be Merry Topic

W. A. Wicks has chosen for his subject tomorrow morning "Eat, Drink and Be Merry." Miss Sheila Conway will sing "Oh, Divine Redeemer" (Gounod).

In the evening the subject will be "The Mainspring of Desire," and Mrs. McIntosh will sing a selected solo.

A meeting of special interest will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, when Roland Braley, superintendent of the Sunday school, will speak on the subject, "Seeing Eyes."

VICTORIA MINISTERS MEET NEXT MONDAY

The monthly meeting of the Victoria Ministerial Association will be held on Monday at 10 a.m. in the Y.W.C.A. The main speaker will be Rev. G. A. Reynolds, who will take for his subject, "The Minister."

St. Paul's Presbyterian

Rev. James Hyde, of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West, will preach next Sunday morning on the subject "The Foolish and Wicked King That Burned the Word of God in the Fire and Was Buried With the Burial of an Ass."

The subject for the evening will be "False Prophets Whom God Branded as Blind Watchmen, Dumb Dogs That Could Not Bark." The Sunday school meets at 9:45 a.m. and the Esquimalt Sunday school at 2:30 p.m. at 1280 Park Terrace.

ALLIANCE TABERNACLE

"Why Does the Heathen Rage, and What Will Be the Outcome of the Present War?" will be the subject of Rev. N. Strain's discussion at the Christian and Missionary Alliance Tabernacle tomorrow night. "The Greatest Question Today" will be the subject of the morning message, and the speaker will be Rev. E. P. Wickens, Calgary.

Were Married Up-Island

—Photo by Silence, Courtenay.

MR. AND MRS. LAWRENCE BASIL THOMAS

Of Comox, V.I., were married recently in the new St. Peter's Church, Comox, Rev. A. W. Corker officiating. The bride was formerly Miss Anne Martinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Martinson, Battleford, Sask., and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Thomas, well-known residents of Comox. The bride was given in marriage by Mr. Felix Thomas, Courtenay. The wedding was the first to take place in the new church.

New Regulations Regarding Bears In Zoos of B.C.

Running cold water, a swimming pool five by seven feet and one foot deep, a cage of 300 square feet, and sleeping quarters not less than forty square feet per animal, must be apportioned to bears in captivity under Provincial game regulations, amended yesterday by order in council. In addition, zoologists must report once a year to the game commission on the number of bears, mountain sheep and mountain goats kept in captivity. Running hot water was not mentioned.

Mrs. Adjutant Watt To Conduct Service At Belmont Church

Mrs. Adjutant Watt and the Songster Brigade of the Salvation Army will conduct the evening service at Belmont Avenue United Church tomorrow, exchanging services with Rev. Bryce H. Wallace and choir, who will be at the Army Citadel.

Educational Sunday will be observed at the morning service at Belmont Church, the Sunday school children meeting in open session with the congregation. Mr. Wallace will conduct the service as usual, and instrumental music will be given by the young people.

ALEXIS MISSION

The Spiritual Mission of Alexis meets on Sunday at Coast Hall, 1416 Douglas Street. At 7:30 an address will be given by the control "Alexis," describing "The Arrival of a Worker in the Spirit World." Following this, messages will be given by Mrs. McDermott. On Thursday evening at 8 o'clock the usual open circle, with healing, will be held at 1042 Balmoral Road.

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A. K. Mather was appointed part-time assistant to the relief officer; Morris H. Allison was appointed part-time fireman, and Miss Marjorie Nott was chosen as junior assistant on the office staff.

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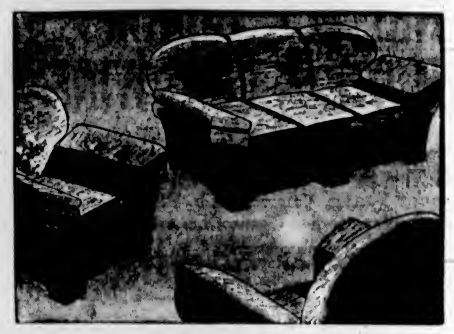

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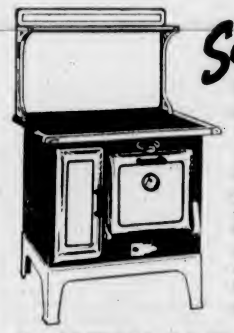

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ISLAND BADMINTON FINALS AT WILLOWS TONIGHT

MUSTART WILL FACE LENEY FOR HONORS; VICTORIA GIRL WINS

Vancouver Shuttler and Duncan Player in Men's Finals This Evening—Peggy MacDonald and Eleanor Young, Vancouver, to Battle for Women's Crown—Champions Advance

The last chapter of the 1939-40 Vancouver Island badminton championships will be written this evening at the Victoria Club courts, when finals in open and handicaps will be played. Since the opening of the meet last Monday, everything has been going along according to Hoyle, with not even the semblance of an upset to enthuse the gallerites.

Battling in quest of the mythical crowns that adorned their brows during the past season, four of the five defending titleholders gained the select bracket, and are given an excellent chance of repeating. In the other instance the 1938-39 championship combination did not play again this year.

Victoria players are still very much in the running for championship recognition, with an even half dozen netters ready to make their bids for titles. In the singles, Miss Peggy MacDonald, holder of the city title, will be Victoria's standard-bearer, while in the doubles, Mrs. Rom Knott and Miss Phyllis Sluggett, present titleholders, will represent the British Columbia capital.

Miss Marjorie Hughes and Don 's are the local players in the mixed doubles, while George Lane, city and district champion, reached the men's doubles final, with Eric Leney, Duncan, as his playing mate.

MISS YOUNG WINS

Miss Eleanor Young, present titleholder, gained the select bracket by reason of her odd-set triumph over Miss Joyce Thomson, four times ruler of city courts. The scores were 11-5, 8-11, 11-5. In the other semi-final, Miss Peggy MacDonald blasted the title hopes of Miss Marjorie Hughes, a clubmate, when she handed her an 11-12, 11-6 setback.

Young Ken Meredith, Vancouver junior, gave Eric Leney, Duncan's gift to the shuttle pastime, a busy time in the final set of his men's singles semi-final. The Up-Islander took the first set with the one-sided score of 15-4, but had to come from behind to take the overtime second battle, 17-14.

Norm Mustart, Vancouver, and Leney's opponent in the final this evening, continued to display smart badminton and surprised the galleries with his 15-4, 15-7 triumph over George Lane, Victoria City titleholder. Mustart's play has been excellent and followers of the shuttle game look for him to give Leney a great battle in the final.

Vancouver City mixed doubles champions, Miss Eleanor Young and Norman Mustart, were forced to go three sets before disposing of Miss P. Sluggett and Drennan Hincks, Brentwood combination, in a keen battle. The scores were 15-4, 12-15, 15-2.

CLOSE MATCH

Ralph Bagley and Pat "Sit Down" Colclough, local netters, gave the Leney-Lane duo quite an argument in the men's doubles semi-final before finally going down to defeat in three sets. After a 15-1 triumph in the opener, Leney and Lane dropped the second set 12-15, but came back with a 15-12 score in the deciding game. In the other men's doubles semi-final Norman Mustart and Ken Meredith, Vancouver team, defeated Drennan Hincks and Don Davis in straight sets. The scores were 15-5, 15-10.

Miss Doreen Swayne and Miss Gladys McCall went to the sidelines via the straight-set route at the hands of Miss Eleanor Young and Miss M. Addison, Nanaimo, in the women's doubles, 17-15, 15-6.

Results follow:

OPEN EVENTS

Men's Singles

E. Leney (Duncan), won from K. Meredith (Vancouver), 15-4, 17-14.

N. Mustart (Vancouver), won from G. Lane (Victoria), 15-3, 15-7.

Women's Singles

Miss E. Young (Vancouver), won from Miss J. Thomson (Victoria), 11-5, 8-11, 11-5.

Miss P. MacDonald (Victoria), won from Miss M. Hughes (Victoria), 11-2, 11-6.

Men's Doubles

N. Mustart and K. Meredith (Vancouver), won from D. Hincks and D. Davis (Victoria), 15-5, 15-10.

E. Leney (Duncan) and G. Lane (Victoria), won from R. Bagley and P. Colclough (Victoria), 15-1, 12-15, 15-12.

Women's Doubles

Mrs. R. Knott and Miss P. Sluggett (Victoria), won from the Misses L. and J. Thomson (Victoria), 15-7, 15-5.

Miss E. Young (Vancouver) and Miss M. Addison (Nanaimo), won from Misses J. Carrier and B. Atkins (Victoria), 15-12, 15-2.

Miss E. Young and Miss M. Addison won from Miss G. McCall and Miss D. Swayne (Victoria), 17-15, 15-6.

Mixed Doubles

Miss E. Young and N. Mustart (Vancouver), won from Miss P. Sluggett and D. Hincks (Victoria), 15-4, 12-15, 15-2.

Miss M. Hughes and D. Davis (Victoria), won from Miss M. Addison (Nanaimo) and G. Lane (Victoria), 15-7, 15-9.

Boys' Singles

K. Meredith (Vancouver), won from J. Murdock (Victoria), 15-0, 15-3.

M. Creighton (Duncan), won from W. Holmes (Victoria), 15-2, 15-3.

M. Creighton won from J. Brandon (Victoria), 15-4, 15-10.

HANDICAP EVENTS

Men's Doubles

W. Lovell and T. Dalzell (—5), won from S. Skillings and B. Davies (—8), 15-0, 4-15, 15-10.

Mixed Doubles

Miss L. Thomson and T. Dalzell (—4), won from Miss V. Martin and J. Wells (—12), 15-0, 15-0.

Women's Doubles

Misses G. Taylor and G. McCall (—3), won from Misses L. Bell and M. Rice-Jones (—8), 15-13, 15-13.

TONIGHT'S DRAW

7:30—Miss E. Young vs. Miss P. MacDonald; K. Meredith vs. L. Wilson; Miss V. Martin vs. Miss L. Bell; Miss B. Boyce and S. Skillings vs. Miss G. Taylor and P. Colclough.

8:00—E. Leney vs. N. Mustart; M. Creighton vs. winner of K. Meredith and L. Wilson; R. Dodwell vs. W. Lovell.

8:30—Mrs. R. Knott and Miss P. Sluggett vs. Miss E. Young and Miss M. Addison; Misses L. Thomson and L. Carrier vs. Misses G. Taylor and G. McCall.

9:00—E. Leney and G. Lane vs. N. Mustart and K. Meredith; W. Lovell and T. Dalzell vs. P. Salmon and E. Browning.

9:30—Miss E. Young and N. Mustart vs. Miss M. Hughes and D. Davis; Miss L. Thomson and T. Dalzell vs. winner of Miss B. Boyce and S. Skillings vs. Miss G. Taylor and P. Colclough.

TOP SCORERS HELD IN CHECK

Hextall and Neil Colville Go Scoreless—Milt Schmidt In Lead

By The Canadian Press

Scoring leaders like Bryan Hextall and Neil Colville, of the Rangers, and Murray Armstrong, of the Americans, were held pointless Thursday night as lesser luminaries took over the spotlight. High pointmaker of the night was Lorne Carr, of the Americans, who picked up a goal and an assist in a 5-2 victory over Chicago. Ebbie Goodfellow helped in both goals as Detroit blanked the league-leading Rangers, 2-0.

The leaders:	G.	A.	P.
Schmidt, Boston	16	18	34
Hextall, Rangers	18	11	29
Drillon, Toronto	16	12	28
Armstrong, Americans	13	14	27
Dumart, Boston	13	14	27
N. Colville, Rangers	12	15	27
Blake, Canadiens	13	12	25
Bauer, Boston	9	16	25

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Cunningham and Two Rivals Will Compete Tonight

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP).—The thirty-third annual games of the Millrose Athletic Association, presenting all-star casts in races from sixty yards on up to two miles, will set the major portion of New York's indoor track season rolling tomorrow night at Madison Square Garden.

The main event will be the Wanamaker mile. Fifteenth in the series, it will find Glenn Cunningham trying for the seventh in a string of victories that started in 1933 and has been broken only once.

The Kansan won last year in 4:13, with Chuck Fenske trailing by two yards. Already beaten this year by Fenske and Gene Venzke, Glenn will be no better than even money.

One mark that seems due to be wiped off the books is the 49.6 record for the quarter-mile, set twenty-seven years ago by Long Tom Halpin. The event was added to this year's programme expressly to get that out-dated record off the books.

$10,000 RACE IN THE SOUTH

Twelve Entered in Santa Margarita Handicap Set This Afternoon

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2 (AP).—Twelve fillies and mares were named to start in the $10,000 added Santa Margarita Handicap, mile and one-sixteenth feature race at Santa Anita Park tomorrow.

Entered were War Plumage, Sumatra III, Sweet Nancy, Twist, Omelet, Mars Shield, Etolia II, Fairy Chant, Flying Wild, Real Clear, Valdina Gold and Valdina Minx.

Rain continued to drench the track today and withdrawals in the Santa Margarita were expected before post time.

Results follow:

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs

Swain (Maschek)	$9.20	$5.00	$3.60
Hadastar (Balaski)		2.80	2.60
Toodie Pan (Dew)			4.20

Time, 34 4-5. Also ran: Vegas Joe, With Us, Razz, Copper Man, The Raider, Black Typhon, Sti Briar, Iron Net, Man o' Chance, Dundas, Mint Liberty.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs

Holsworthy (Neves)	$5.60	$3.40	$2.40
Lap Pan (Taylor)		6.60	3.40
Bonnie Breeze (Dodson)			2.80

Time, 1.13 4-5. Also ran: Ebony Night, Deplore, Bronzed Angel, Badger Pass.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs

Evil Spirit (Richards)	$7.20	$4.80	$4.00
Roanoke (James)		4.00	3.40
Little Ruler (Longden)			5.80

Time, 1.13 2-5. Also ran: Sudbury, Hazel Lee, Reigh Dear, Jockarando, Mimosa, Silver Black, Fredda T., Palmera T., My Liberty.

FOURTH RACE—One mile

Santouri (Shelhamer)	$44.80	$17.20	$9.00
Torch Gleam (Balaski)		3.80	3.20
Puddin (Bierman)			8.80

Time, 1.40 3-5. Also ran: Sabueso, Tartarus, War Moon, Day Dawn, Hildur Bridge.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs

Daybreak (James)	$9.20	$3.80	$2.60
Lassator (Bierman)		3.00	2.40
Clingendaal (Dennis)			2.60

Time, 1.11 4-5. Also ran: Kenty Miss, Profundo, Mad Sue.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth

Step By (Shelhamer)	$9.20	$3.80	$2.80
Woodberry (Balaski)		3.20	2.40
Sun Plume (Neves)			3.00

Time, 1.45 4-5. Also ran: Her Reigh, Rhiniz, Count Atlas.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and three-quarters

Crimson Glory (Balaski)	$10.40	$4.40	$3.20
Turkish Brand (Wall)		3.20	2.80
Play Chance (C. Wagner)			4.00

Time, 3.14 2-5. Also ran: Lourdes, Fair D'Or, Enimrac.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth

Brilliant Light (C. Wagner)	$11.80	$6.20	$4.40
American Emblem (Balaski)		6.20	4.00
Tea Hound (Robison)			5.80

Time, 1.48 1-5. Also ran: Our Goaler, Pep Talk, Watch Time, Saint Pierre, Unlawful, Brooke Herod, Mar Pal, Texas Rose.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs

Macks Dream	119
Hy-Happy	119
Soberano	122
Rio Macaw	111
Gino Miss	119
Lady Starlight	112
Satin Coat	122

SECOND RACE—Seven furlongs

Ste Louise	105
High Martin	109
Red Corn	110
Sheerness	103
Windshield	110
Bon Fume	110
Prince Bow	113
Propli	110
Superstition	110
Star Stepper	105
Old Whitey	114

THIRD RACE—Seven furlongs

First Port	110
Proud Indian	114
Edelad	110
Bunny Martin	105
Bartolozzi	110
Gold Trophy	109
Rushaway	110
Genie Palatine	103
Black Highbrow	114
Jaconut	105

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs

Brother Higher	103
Sun Superlette	114
Destrer	117
Honey Boat	108
The Fop	114
Eddie C. G.	105
Kai-Hi	111
Belle High	115

FIFTH RACE—One mile

Sun Pharos	111
Kantan	108
Son Altesse	114
Sweepida	108
Little Cartago	108
Ardeneli	108
Diamister	108

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth

Etolia II	108
(C) Valdina Minx	97
Omelet	110
Fairy Chant	100
War Plumage	122
(C) Valdina Gold	97
Mara Shield	105
Twist	112
Sweet Nancy	116
Flying Wild	116
Real Clear	104
Sumatra III	108

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth

Auman	111
Redrock Canyon	112
Lauerman	103
Herman Jr	115
Barnsley	111
Whichaway	114
Cayenne	117
Lloyd Pan	112
Wingspread	112
Cerro	109

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-quarter

Negra Mia	104
Jargo	115
Powers Gouaro	112
Silver Trace	104
Costep	109
The Hare	107
Head Hunter	118
Bien Chance	103
Invincible	112
The Marker	113
Stepahead	104

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Today's Sport Programme

FOOTBALL (Garrison Cup)

2:45—Garrison vs. Victoria West, Royal Athletic Park.
2:45—Rangers vs. Saanich Thistles, Beacon Hill.

Juvenile League

10:30—St. Louis College vs. Rovers, Central Park.
10:30—Young's Shamrocks vs. Pro-Recs, Bullen Park

Exhibition Match

2:30—Navy vs. Maple Leafs, Bullen Park.

RUGBY (Heyland Cup)

2:30—J.B.A.A. vs. Oak Bay Wanderers, Macdonald Park.

Exhibition Match

2:30—Navy vs. Brentwood College, Brentwood.

CANADIAN FOOTBALL (Junior League)

1:45—Oak Bay vs. High School Alumni, Central Park.
3:15—Fairfield vs. Dominoes, Central Park.

BADMINTON

7:30—Finals of the Vancouver Island championships at the Victoria Club courts.

TABLE TENNIS

7:30—Finals of the British Columbia table tennis championships at the Crystal Garden.

BASKETBALL (Sports Centre)

8:00—Preliminary game.
9:00—Mount Vernon vs. Victoria Dominoes, senior "A" men.

WRESTLING (Army and Navy Auditorium)

8:30—Local preliminary; three five-minute rounds, Alec Gardiner, Victoria, vs. Jim Casey, Victoria; special event, four five-minute rounds, Lionel Speller, Victoria, vs. Scotty McPherson, Victoria; first half of main event, six ten-minute rounds, Chief Thunderbird, Saanich, vs. George Wilson, Seattle; second half of main event, six ten-minute rounds, John Katan, Drumheller, vs. "Gentleman" Joe Corbett, Boston.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . By Ripley

ALL YESTERDAY'S ITEMS SELF-EXPLANATORY
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PEARSON IN NET VICTORY

Seattle Star Triumphs Easily—Two Surprise Victories Scored

Coming through with an easy victory over his opponent, Ray Pearson, Seattle, moved into the semi-finals of the men's singles in the British Columbia table tennis championships last night at the Crystal Garden. Pearson's victim was A. Elworthy, local player, and the scores were 21-10, 21-4 and 21-13. The young Sound City flash will face Vic Tully, a strong Victoria contender, while in the other half of the semis, Bill Cotton clashes with Ab Renfrew, the present city champion.

In the women's singles, Winnie Payne provided the big upset of the evening by eliminating Mrs. M. Heppell, Victoria, holder of the Pacific Coast honors. Miss Payne chalked up a great three-set decision by scores of 21-17, 21-17 and 21-16. Barbara McKay, defending titleholder, put out Miss Joan Jarvis without much trouble, 21-13, 21-6 and 21-12.

The lone other Seattle entry in the men's singles, Jim Wilson, went to the side lines in the quarter finals at the hands of Bill Cotton in a hard-fought five-set battle. Ab Renfrew accounted for Laurie Greenwood in three sessions, while Vic Tully put out another title seeker in Wilmot Browne-Cave in four heats.

Results follow:

MEN'S SINGLES

W. Cotton defeated D. Robinson, 21-13, 21-16, 24-22.

R. Pearson, Seattle, defeated A. Elworthy, 21-10, 21-4, 21-13.

D. Ketcheson defeated R. Dawson, 21-11, 18-21, 21-17, 21-10.

J. Wilson, Seattle, defeated A. Seed, 21-13, 21-13, 21-9.

A. Renfrew defeated L. Greenwood, 21-15, 21-17, 21-17.

V. Tully defeated W. Browne-Cave, 21-16, 24-18, 14-21, 21-12.

W. Cotton defeated J. Wilson, Seattle, 21-18, 21-17, 17-21, 14-21, 21-12.

V. Tully defeated D. Ketcheson, 21-11, 21-10, 21-19.

HANDICAP SINGLES

S. Gagliardi defeated E. Stewart, 21-17, 19-21, 21-17, 21-14.

C. Chambers defeated E. Seed, 22-20, 21-10, 14-21, 17-21, 21-9.

S. Gagliardi defeated W. Payne, 8-21, 12-21, 21-19, 21-17, 21-12.

D. Ketcheson defeated C. Lewis, 22-20, 21-17, 23-21.

C. Chambers defeated D. Ketcheson, 21-5, 22-20, 21-2.

A. Renfrew defeated K. Elston, 21-18, 21-19, 22-20.

L. Greenwood defeated S. Gagliardi, 21-17, 21-13, 21-18.

C. Chambers defeated A. Renfrew, 21-14, 21-6, 17-21, 21-18.

L. Greenwood defeated J. Prior, 23-25, 21-13, 22-24, 17-21, 21-14.

MEN'S DOUBLES

R. Pearson and J. Wilson, Seattle, defeated R. Dawson and A. Elworthy, 21-17, 15-21, 21-8, 22-20.

A. Renfrew and W. Browne-Cave defeated W. Cotton and V. Tully, 17-21, 21-13, 8-21, 21-6, 21-18.

VETERANS' SINGLES

B. Crombie defeated H. Jarvis, 21-12, 17-21, 12-9, 21-14.

WOMEN'S SINGLES

Miss W. Payne defeated Mrs. M. Heppell, 21-17, 21-17, 21-16.

Miss B. McKay defeated Miss J. Jarvis, 21-13, 21-6, 21-12.

MIXED DOUBLES

V. Tully and Miss McKay defeated R. Dawson and K. Elston, 21-8, 21-16, 24-22.

W. Browne-Cave and Mrs. Greenwood defeated W. Cotton and Mrs. Heppell, 21-15, 20-22, 21-14, 17-21, 21-16.

TONIGHT'S DRAW

7:30 (Final, Ladies' Doubles)—Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Greenwood vs. Mrs. Heppell and B. McKay.

7:45 (Semi-Final, Men's Singles)—Cotton vs. Renfrew.

8:00 (Semi-Final, Men's Singles)—Pearson (Seattle) vs. Tully.

8:15 (Final, Mixed Doubles)—B. McKay and Tully vs. Mrs. Greenwood and Browne-Cave

8:30 (Final, Ladies' Singles)—B. McKay vs. W. Payne.

8:45 (Final, Men's Singles).

9:00 (Final, Men's Doubles)—Browne-Cave and Renfrew vs Pearson and Wilson (Seattle).

WINNERS AT UPLANDS

Mrs. S. D. Horsford finished ahead of the list in "A" division in the par competition, held yesterday, at the Uplands Golf Club, with a card of 93-11-82, while Mrs. W. S. Smith was tops in "B" section with 98-23-75.

Shares Top Billing Here Tonight

CHIEF THUNDERBIRD

SAANICH Indian, heavyweight matman, who returns to the local palace de squirm this evening to match holds with George Wilson, Seattle, in one-half of the double main event of Promoter Rocky Brooks' all-star wrestling show at the Army and Navy Auditorium, Wharf Street. In the top half of the twin-bill Johan Katan, Drumheller, will oppose "Gentleman" Joe Corbett, Boston. Local preliminaries will open the show at 8:30 o'clock.

Apostoli Handed Terrific Beating By Melio Bettina

Career of Former San Francisco Bellhop Ends When Easterner Is Given Technical Kayo in The Twelfth—Loser Goes to Hospital With Possible Concussion—Large Crowd

By SID FEDER
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP).—The fistic story of Fred Apostoli, the San Francisco bellhop, who skyrocketed to championship heights, and ranked by many as the best fighter, pound for pound, in the world, ended in a merciless beating in Madison Square Garden tonight.

After four years of campaigning, during which he won the world middleweight crown, fearless Freddie was stopped in twelve rounds tonight by Melio Bettina, Beacon, N.Y., in his second start in the light-heavyweight ranks.

Beaten so badly he was taken to a hospital with a possible intercranial concussion, Apostoli finished his career on a great show of raw courage, but helpless before the whipping he was handed by the fighter, who, up to now, had never shown any ability to go the route.

BRUISING BATTLE

After it was all over, with 12,369 fans on their feet yelling at the bruising belting in the early rounds, and sympathizing with the downfall of a fine fighter in the late going, Apostoli's manager, Larry White, announced he was going to have Fred hang up the gloves for good.

A preliminary examination in his dressing room indicated the concussion, said the examining physician, Dr. John Truiga. He was taken across the street from the Garden to the Polyclinic Hospital for observation.

By his victory, Bettina, who weighed 173 to Apostoli's 170 3-4, earned another chance at the 175-pound championship, which he lost last July to Billy Conn, and failed to regain in a bout with the Pittsburgh Irishman last September.

Just as in their meeting here a month ago, when Apostoli was returned the winner by the decision route in twelve rounds—a verdict which incidentally, was highly disputed and led to the return go—the battle was a brawl from the word go.

Bettina, a stolid southpaw, counted heaviest on left hands to the chin, while Fred, almost from the start, put everything he had into his right hand shots. Several times, each of the sluggers was staggered, while Bettina was cut twice on the left eye and on his forehead, and Apostoli was gashed about the mouth and over his left eye.

WINS NINE ROUNDS

The Associated Press score card gave Apostoli only three of the twelve completed rounds, with nine going to the Beacon belter.

After Bettina had taken an edge with short lefts in the first round, Apostoli came on to take the second in a wild slugging session, in which each suffered a cut near the left eye. The third also went to Fred in a bristling exchange.

The next three heats, however, saw Bettina take a clear edge in a slugging rally which brought the crowd shrieking to its feet. The seventh, when Bettina's eye was cut again, and he was staggered by a right, was the last heat in which Fred held an advantage. After that he started to fade fast.

From the eighth on, only sheer courage held him together. At the finish, after he was led to his dressing room, he was hurriedly bundled to the Polyclinic Hospital across the street for observation. All the way back to his dressing room he moaned, "I'm sick; I'm sick."

Through the last five rounds, Apostoli's mouthpiece appeared to bother him, and in each session he took it out and tossed it to his corner. As a result, in the late going his mouth was cruelly cut inside by solid punches.

WELL EARNED

Judge—"Have you anything to say before I pass sentence?"

Accused—"Assuredly I have, me lud. I desire to take this opportunity of stating without reserve of circumlocution that in my opinion the penalty imposed upon me by this court should be in keeping with my station in life, or as it were, commensurate with my social position, which hitherto has been one of no inconsiderate importance."

Judge (dryly)—"Well, you certainly seem to like long sentences. Ten years."

MILITIA HAVE STRONG CLUB

Winnipeg Rifles May Be Manitoba Entry in Allan Cup Play-Downs

WINNIPEG, Feb. 2 (CP).—A military hockey team from Winnipeg may provide the Manitoba entry in the Allan Cup play-downs this Spring.

Winnipeg Rifles top the standing in the ten-team Military League, and in exhibition games have defeated Winnipeg Cruisers and Winnipeg Lombards, leaders of the Manitoba senior circuit. Rifles are regarded as Winnipeg's strongest senior team in years.

Port Arthur Bear Cats, present Allan Cup holders, have run into plenty of competition in the Thunder Bay League from Geraldton Gold Miners. Jazzy Manahan, their coach last year, signed up as the non-playing coach of Fort William this week. Bear Cats spoiled his first appearance on the Fort bench last night by defeating the Blue Boys, 4-2.

Calgary Stampeders and Trail Smoke Eaters have been standouts in the Far West, while in the Saskatchewan circuit only seven points separate the first and last-place teams.

CALGARY LEADS

Calgary has headed the Alberta League since early in the year, and at present holds a five-point edge over Turner Valley Oilers, who have two games in hand. Calgary has built up a record of fifteen home games without defeat.

Trail, Allan Cup winners in 1938, and winners of the world championship in Europe last year, have waltzed through the West Kootenay League, undefeated in more than a dozen games.

Saskatoon Quakers lead Yorkton Terriers and Regina Vic-Aces in the Saskatchewan League by four points, but Terriers have one game in hand and Regina two. Moose Jaw Millers, five points behind the Quakers, also have two games in hand, despite their 8-1 loss last night to Yorkton.

BRENTWOOD RUGBY

Brentwood College ruggers will meet the Navy in a friendly match this afternoon on the school ground at 2:30. The collegians and sailors are reported to be evenly matched and therefore the spectators should witness a keenly-contested match.

LOU SALICA SIGNED

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP).—Hymie Caplin announced tonight he had signed his fighter, Lou Salica, of New York, for a fifteen-round world bantamweight championship bout with Georgia Pace, of Cleveland, in Cleveland, February 29.

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Victoria Dominoes Scores Triumph in Opening Game, 34-24

Canadian Basketball Champions Trim Challengers From Mount Vernon in International Series —Second Game Will Be Held Tonight

Scoring the first basket of the game and never dropping behind during the forty minutes of play, Manager Dave Nicol's Victoria Dominoes, Canadian basketball champions, last night defeated Parkers, Mount Vernon hoopmen, 34-24, in the first of a two-game international series.

Tonight at the Victoria Sports Centre the clubs will meet in the second and final fixture, and another victory for the Victoria hoopsters will enable them to retain the handsome trophy they won last year when they defeated Home Undertakers in straight games. The inter-city battle will commence at 9 o'clock and will be preceded by a preliminary tussle one hour earlier.

Continuing to display the marksmanship that has made him a consistently high scorer all season, Art Chapman, tip-off ace, led the Dominoes to victory by caging fifteen of their total points. Busher Jackson, with three field baskets, was next in the scoring column.

Jack Hanover, high-scoring Seattle Community League forward, was top man for the visitors with eight points. Harold Nelson and Joe Murray, the latter well known here as referee and player, each dropped home six points.

BETTER SQUAD

Dominoes were unquestionably the better cage quintette, and after establishing a 19-8 lead in the first two quarters, were never in danger of being overtaken. The closest the Mount Vernon hoopsters even came to catching the local sharpshooters in the last half was six points.

Coach Eric Cox threw his substitutes into the game quite frequently and trotted out a new player in Domino uniform, Norman Baker, formerly of Harvey-Murphy quintette, Nanaimo. Baker made an instant hit with the fans and when he caged his first and only basket he received quite an ovation. A smart player, who fitted in well with the club, Baker will probably see action frequently in future contests.

Hank Rowe, ace sharpshooter, who caged twenty points last week against S. L. Savidge, Seattle, was not in uniform. He will be in the Victoria line-up tonight.

Visitors looked better on paper than when they performed here a few months ago and defeated the Dominoes by ten points. But on the floor their exhibition was below that of last year. Jack Hanover, high-scoring forward in the Seattle Community League, was on the Mount Vernon quintette last night, but could only score eight points.

A crowd, estimated at 400, the smallest of the season, witnessed the teams in action.

In the preliminary game Alcos defeated Fairfield, 29-15.

Buck Kenneth, Duncan, and Bill Levy, Victoria, refereed and teams follow:

Victoria Dominoes: C. Chapman (2), Taylor (5), Davies (2), Jackson (6), A. Chapman (15), Acreman (2), Mylrea, Baker (2) and Patterson; total 34.

Mount Vernon: Lovas, Fountain, H. Nelson (6), Knudson, Dixon, B. Nelson, Gordon (4), Hanover (8) and Murray (6); total 24.

DAIRYMEN IN CAGE VICTORY

Moving into a five-point lead in the first half and then outscoring the opposition by a lone basket in the final two quarters, Northwestern Dairy stayed in the running for the Intermediate "A" title in the City Basketball League by defeating K-V's in a keenly-fought game, 28-21, at the Victoria High School gymnasium before a fair crowd. Champion & White scored an easy victory over Wimpy's Crescents in the senior "B" section, 42-23, while the Chinese Students won from the Quarter Cab by default in the third scheduled game.

Both halves of the Northwestern-K-V's game were hard fought, with the dairymen leading at the change-over, 15-10, a lead which enabled them to gain the decision in the end. Frank Myirea was the top scorer for the winners, with nine points, three baskets and a like number of foul line shots. Scoring on the losing side was well divided, with Inglis and Fields tops with six apiece.

Champion & White led Wimpy's at the half, 20-14. In the final period the winners cut loose with a strong scoring punch, bagging twenty-three points against their opponents' nine. D. McBeth was high scorer for Champion & White, with fifteen points, and Davies the best for Wimpy's with ten.

Bob Macmurchie refereed, and teams follow:

Champion & White—Sluggett (7), Lannon (3), J. McBeth (6), D. McBeth (15), S. McBeth (8), and Gunn (3).

Wimpy's—Smith, Rednap, Millburn (5), Moore, Coller (3), Davies (10), and Turner (5).

Northwestern Dairy — Stevenson, Brodigan (4), Gilles (5), Killy (1), Prendergast (6), Myirea (9), and Hughes (3).

K-V's—James (3), Beere (2), Inglis (6), Fields (6), Fair (3), Masters, Richards (1), and McCorkall.

FAIR GROUNDS RACING

FAIR GROUNDS, Feb. 2.—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Agnes Knight (Ross) .. $27.20 $11.80 $5.40
War Grand (McDonald) 7.60 4.20
Hijo Manso (Vercher) 4.20

Time, 1.48 2-5. Also ran: Sidout, Aerialist, Mon Dolt, Two Aces, St. Moritz.

SECOND RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
Honey Beat (Sorsen) $5.20 $3.40 $2.80
Prince Sador (Elam) 5.00 3.80
Ebony Parasol (Milligan) 5.00

Time, 1:46. Also ran: Oddesa Frank, Madcap Yankee, Undulate, Valvesta, Rowes Crump.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs
My Lawyer (Vedder) $15.60 $7.00 $4.20
Aureale (Ross) 4.40 3.40
Mussins (Green) 5.00

Time, 1.13 2-5. Also ran: Suppliance, Kightina, Born Lucky, Molly Fly, Little Drift, My Day, Sir Mowlee, Burr Hickman.

FOURTH RACE—Two furlongs:
Kilocycle (J. Richard) .. $4.60 $3.40 $2.80
Becomly (Vedder) 4.40 3.40
Jota (Mojena) 3.60

Time, .23 1-5. Also ran: Tuloma, Silver Voice, Reject, Miss Scot, Arizona Lady, Fabens, Kindannie, Charming Susie, Winabeau.

FIFTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs:
Taken (Vedder) $4.00 $3.00 $2.60
Valdina (Sorsen) 5.40 3.40
Billy Folly (Jones) 2.20

Time, 1.06 3-5. Also ran: Lazarus, Carrying Time, Chanting, Cania, Graustark.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs
Extremus (Clark) $44.60 $11.40 $8.00
Trim Stepper (Sorsen) 4.00 3.40
Anabels Girl (Trahan) 6.20

Time, 1.13 3-5. Also ran: Gay Sallie, Skating Mad, Manyatime, Millshow, Town Silver, Bull Anne, Barograph, Winter Sea.

SEVENTH RACE — Mile and seventy yards:
My Buddy (Taylor) $5.60 $3.40 $2.80
Lady Fitz (Clark) 4.60 3.30
Sunnie Time (Glaug) 4.00

Time, 1.47 4-5. Also ran: Nell Strome, Nopalosa Flag, Dustless, Betan, Ona Girl, Beautiful Bud, Upset Dove, Tille Queen, Real Sport.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Ginocchio 109
Briery 108
Norman Sloat 110
Spillway 111
King Cotton 115
Stem Winder 103
Jim Corn 114
Mammoth 103
Mon Lad 113

SECOND RACE—Mile and seventy yards
Margaret Jones 100
Ron 107
Towson 109
Lucre Lude 110
Night Bud 112
Lady Ballet 108
Hollywood Ace 112
Half Shoes 109
Mystic Man 107
Askaris 112
Pompous Genie 108
Bargain Hunter 107
Frank Brooke 114
Helen Mac 107
Individual 102
Watercure 107
Sun Wine 104
Paralda 112
Out of Fire 109
Flag Ella 107

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs.
Wise King 114
Jimmie T. 115
Palermian 110
Hypo 114
Light Rolls 110
Butter 110
Bucks Image 110
Calculator 115
What Now 110
Raymond 115
Family Friend 110
Macawlee 105
In the Shade 115
Idle Worker 110
China Lina 109
Good Omen 105
Florid 115

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
(A) Earlsboro 107
Endy 107
Hot Iron 105
Good Gosh 100
O.K. Mullen 105
(B) Interlace 100
All Lizzie 102
(A) Pink Gal 102
(B) Arden Lass 114

FIFTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards
Parade Leader 111
White Feathers 108
Peggys Advice 99
Lady Arlington 102
Career Girl 104
Moody 107
Jungle Moon 104
Speedy Squaw 9.
Tonkawa 106

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs.
U Boat 119
Mascot 101
Flying Bonny 98
Whipowill 102
Kenty 102
(C) Clyde Tolson 104
(C) Arden Lass 97
Melody Tone 103
Chance Ray 103
Orcades 104
Polaris 106

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-quarter
Proposing 110
Stella Mc 100
Breezing Along 110
Air Eddy 105
Jack Patches 110
Lynsate 100
Brass Monkey 110
Billabong 110
Celestino 105
Something Blue 110
Fig Brook 105
Escolee 105
Ellacaw 100
Real Sport 110

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards
Miles Standish 107
Lucy 10?
America First 112
Popular Vote 110
Ramrod 112
Albert Beck 112
Plenty Charm 110
Eddie Gardner 110
Kansas Citian 110
War Jest 105
Bilkan 110
Sailorman 107
Hit and Run 112
Mira Bane 102
Bright Land 112
Flaming Play 115
Someone Else 110
Down Payment 110
Fleeting Moon 102
Dr. McLarney 115

First post, 12 noon.
Weather clear; track fast.

SUGGESTION

The chorine walked into the fortune-teller's studio and asked to have her fortune told. The clairvoyant gazed mysteriously into the crystal.

"Young lady," he said slowly, "I see two men who are fighting for your hand in marriage. One is a homely, middle-aged millionaire. The other is a young and handsome gentleman, but very broke."

"Go on, go on," cried the chorine, excitedly. "Who wins out?"

Once again the fortune-teller focussed his eyes on the crystal.

"I see it clearly now," he droned. "You will marry the handsome young pauper."

The chorus girl leaned back in her chair.

"Buddy," she murmured, "you'd better take another guess!"

O.C. FOOTBALL GROUNDS BAD

Conditions in United Kingdom Worst in Years—Two Games Set

LONDON, Feb. 2 (CP).—English and Scottish football grounds are still unfit for play as a result of the most severe weather conditions for many years and all regional games scheduled for tomorrow have been postponed with the exception of the Plymouth Argyle-Bristol City match at Plymouth.

All Rugby League matches have been called off and it is expected Rugby Union contests, apart from one or two in the South of England will be postponed.

South "A" and South "B," groups made up of London and Southern England clubs were scheduled to finish their competitions Saturday and start new tournaments February 10, but most of the teams have two games to play and some three. Elsewhere in the United Kingdom competitions will run on into the Spring.

Scotland has suffered more than any other part of the country. Only two games out of thirty-two scheduled have been played in two weeks. Full lists are carded for Saturday with Rangers, leaders in the west, due to meet Ayr United at Ibrox Park. Falkirk, fast pace-setter, is at home to East Fife.

Arsenal clinched the South "A" championship some days ago and chief interest in the English groups lies in the race in South "B" between Queen's Park Rangers and Bournemouth. The teams are tied with twenty-four points each but the former has a game in hand.

Bournemouth completes its schedule with a hard battle against Chelsea at Stamford Bridge. The Rangers chances at Brighton are considered far easier and in the odd game they will be at home to Southampton.

Of the remaining six English regional divisions only the Southwest and Midland groups have contests scheduled but it is likely postponed matches will be played off in some of the other leagues.

ENTENTE STATUS IS UNCHANGED

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Foreign Ministers Grigore Gafencu of Rumania, Sukru Saracoglu of Turkey, and Alexander Cincar-Markovitch of Yugoslavia, and Premier General John Metaxas, of Greece—ran into immediate difficulties in their quest for a Balkan neutrality formula.

While ruling against any change in the Entente, they decided they would issue a communique stressing their "will" to settle all questions with their neighbors in a friendly manner and without force.

This decision apparently was made without Rumania's full consent. It meant, observers believed, that Yugoslavia, Greece and Turkey feel that peace would best be preserved if Rumania would attempt to reach a friendly settlement of territorial claims by Hungary and Bulgaria.

The conferees also agree that Yugoslavia was free to make a friendship pact with Hungary.

Foreign observers said the meeting gave little hope of immediate concrete accomplishments.

The conference drew a crowd of diplomatic observers — and secret agents of all important European countries.

WARNING FROM TURKEY

ANKARA, Feb. 2 (CP-Havas).—Turkish newspapers tonight warned the Balkan countries against attempting by "economic appeasement" to avert "imminent" Reich aggression.

In an editorial on the opening of the Balkan Entente conference at Belgrade, Ulus (People's Party) said:

"In the past year three storms have passed over the Balkans—the Italian storm, the German storm and the Soviet storm. Now we are facing another—the imminent—German storm.

"Though the Balkan nations have spoken often of the need for collaboration — close collaboration — they have not shown the necessary courage for taking the required measures. And Germany is doing her utmost to keep them in this situation.

"Everything depends on the decisions of the Belgrade congress, which is meeting at one of the most delicate moments in history."

Top Price for Bacon Reduced

LONDON, Feb. 2 (CP).—The Food Ministry tonight announced a reduction of twopence (about three cents) in the top price which may be charged for bacon.

Prices range from one to two shillings (twenty cents to forty cents) a pound, according to quality.

Large supplies of bacon have resulted in doubling of the weekly ration, now eight ounces.

DIES AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP).—Charles E. Calpeper, sixty-five, president and chairman of the board of the Coca Cola Bottling Company of New York and its subsidiaries, died in hospital today after an extended illness.

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Will Arbitrate Dispute on Rates

OTTAWA, Feb. 2 (CP).—The Board of Transport Commissioners for Canada will meet here February 7 to arbitrate a freight rate dispute between British Columbia timber producers and the railways.

The railways and the lumbermen have been negotiating for a special rate for bringing British Columbia timber by rail to the Atlantic Coast for shipment to the United Kingdom. The transport commissioners have been asked to aid in reaching agreement on a special export freight rate.

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WINNIPEG BOY IS DEFEATED

Billy Marquart Beaten by Tony Marteliano in New York Ring

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (CP).—Tony Marteliano, rugged puncher from New York's East Side, punched out a decision victory over Billy Marquart, of Winnipeg, in a ten-round boxing match here tonight. Marteliano, who weighed 139 1-2 to Marquart's 135, was too strong for the Canadian.

The fight was a preliminary to the Fred Apostoli-Melio Bettina light-heavyweight elimination battle in Madison Square Garden.

Marquart, making his third start in New York's Madison Square Garden, was outboxed and outpunched by the chunky Italian-American, who used his weight advantage to the full in wearing Marquart down in the late rounds.

Marquart won only two rounds, the first and the ninth when he tore into Marteliano with both hands after taking punishment in the first minute of the round, but Marteliano could take it and he weathered the storm to win easily.

There were no knockdowns and at the end neither fighter was marked heavily.

Pete Lello, Chicago lightweight hopeful, making his New York professional debut, and Sammy Angott, of Louisville and Pittsburgh, ranking title contender on the National Boxing Association lists, went to a draw in another ten-rounder. Both fighters weighed 134 3-4.

"I hear the Normandie goes so fast that they often have to stop to cool the propellers."

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At the Theatres

HARDYS AGAIN ON CAPITOL SCREEN

This Time the Famous Family Finds Exciting Adventure in Newest Picture

"Judge Hardy and Son" brings Lewis Stone, Mickey Rooney and the rest of the entertaining Hardy Family to the Capitol Theatre starting today in the eighth all-new adventures of the famous family.

In the story Mickey turns detective to help his father fight a foreclosure case; gets involved with three pretty girls with consequent trouble with his "regular" sweetheart, Ann Rutherford; turns hero to ferry Cecilia Parker across a raging flood to reach her sick mother's bedside; and inspires his father to new courage in an hour of tragedy.

RIO THEATRE How a young rancher rehabilitates himself in his home town after being released from prison is the theme of RKO Radio's "Lawless Valley," George O'Brien's newest starring picture, which will be shown for the last time today at the Rio Theatre. Kay Sutton has the romantic lead opposite O'Brien, while the supporting cast includes Walter Miller, Fred Kohler, Sr., and Fred Kohler, Jr.

PLAZA THEATRE "Torpedo Raider," now at the Plaza Theatre, is a G.B. production adapted from a novel by C. S. Forester, who used the war as a background for a story of sea heroics. John Mills, Betty Balfour and Barry Mackay are featured.

OAK BAY THEATRE Charles Laughton, who is at his best when he can hide villainy under a cloak of respectability, has a role cut to order in "Jamaica Inn," the Paramount release which will end today at the Oak Bay Theatre. He is cast as Sir Humphrey Pengallan, a dandified country squire who conspires with a band of wreckers.

DOMINION THEATRE Jimmy Cagney has one of the finest collections of old firearms and swords on the West Coast, and now there's another item he'd like to add to it. It's the automatic pistol said to have been the property of "Legs" Diamond. Humphrey Bogart is using it in Warner Bros.' "The Roaring Twenties," now showing at the Dominion Theatre.

ATLAS THEATRE Deanna Durbin sings four songs in her Universal production, "First Love," which will end today at the Atlas Theatre. The songs are "One Fine Day," "Madam Butterfly," "Home, Sweet Home," and "Amopola." The supporting cast includes Robert Stacks, June Storey, Helen Parrish and Eugene Pallette.

CADET THEATRE Ralph Richardson acted as technical adviser on Columbia's "Clouds Over Europe," sensational romantic comedy drama in which he is seen for the last times today at the Cadet Theatre with Laurence Olivier and Valerie Hobson.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas — Deanna Durbin in "First Love."

Cadet—"Clouds Over Europe," starring Ralph Richardson.

Capitol — "Judge Hardy and Son," featuring Mickey Rooney.

Dominion—James Cagney in "The Roaring Twenties."

Oak Bay — Charles Laughton in "Jamaica Inn."

Plaza—"Torpedo Raider," featuring John Mills.

Rio — "Lawless Valley," starring George O'Brien.

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LORD BISHOP IS GUEST SPEAKER

Pre-Lenten Service at St. Mary's, Oak Bay, on Sunday Evening

The services at St. Mary's, Oak Bay, on Sunday will include celebration of Holy Communion at 8 a.m. and 12 noon. Being the first Sunday in the month, the young people are reminded of the early celebration. Matins and sermon will be at 11 a.m., when Right Rev. H. E. Sexton, Lord Bishop of the Diocese, will be the preacher.

Evensong with sermon is at 7 p.m., the preacher being Rev. Canon R. J. Pierce, rector of South Saanich. This service will be in keeping with the pre-Lenten activities of the Anglican Young People's Association of Victoria and District. Members of the various branches will attend.

Short services at 9:45 and 11 a.m. for members of the Sunday school will precede the regular lessons.

On Wednesday next (Ash Wednesday), Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 and 10:30 a.m., and the first in the series of mid-week Lenten services will be at 8 p.m. At this service Rev. T. R. Lancaster, rector of Sidney, will be the preacher.

On Thursday there will be celebration of Holy Communion, with special intercessions, at 10:30 a.m.

At Grace Lutheran

In Grace English Lutheran Church at 11 o'clock on Sunday morning, the pastor, Rev. Edwin Bracher, will preach on "The Greatest of These Is Love." At the evening service, 7:45 o'clock, the sermon theme will be "The Joy of a Christian." The Sacrament of Baptism will be administered at the morning service.

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

The mystery of evil and its personification will be discussed under the topic, "Good and Evil," at the Wednesday evening meeting of the Victoria Theosophical Society. The meeting commences at 8 p.m. in Room 204, Jones Building.

Anglican Services

Christ Church Cathedral
QUINQUAGESIMA
HOLY COMMUNION—8 A.M.
CHILDREN'S EUCHARIST 9:40 A.M.
CHORAL EUCHARIST 11 A.M.
Preacher: The Dean
EVENSONG—7:30 P.M.
Preacher: Rev. J. R. Fife

St. John's Church
8 A.M.—Holy Communion
10 A.M.—Sunday School and Bible Class
11 A.M.—Morning Prayer and Holy Communion
Preacher: REV. CANON H. G. KING
7:30 P.M.—Evensong
Preacher: REV. CANON H. G. KING

St. Saviour's Church
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QUINQUAGESIMA
(Sunday, February 4)
10:00 A.M.—Sunday School
11:00 A.M.—Holy Communion (choral) and Sermon.
7:00 P.M.—Evensong and Sermon.
Monday—Senior W.A. at 2:30 P.M. Church Committee at 7:30 P.M.
Ash Wednesday—Mission Service, 8 P.M. Special preacher. Rev. N. E. Smith.

St. Mary's, Oak Bay
Holy Communion, 8 A.M. and 12 Noon. Matins and Sermon, 11 A.M. Preacher: The Lord Bishop.
Evensong and Sermon, 7 P.M.
Sunday School, 9:45 and 11 A.M.
Archdeacon A. E. deL. Nonns, M.A.
Rev. H. St. J. Payne, M.A., Assistant.

St. Barnabas' Church
Cor. Cook and Caledonia (No. 5 Car)
8 A.M.—Holy Eucharist
11 A.M.—Holy Eucharist (Sung)
7:30 P.M.—Evensong
Rev. N. E. Smith, Rector

Noted Preacher Will Visit Here

Rev. F. W. Norwood, D.D., of St. Andrew's-Wesley United Church, Vancouver, will be a visitor in the city on February 19 and 20, when he will address public gatherings in the First United Church each evening at 8 o'clock.

Well known throughout the British Empire for his noted ministry at the City Temple, London, Dr. Norwood, who served as a chaplain in the Great War with the Australian forces, will come here under the auspices of the Victoria Presbytery of the United Church of Canada.

CITADEL HEARS REV. B. WALLACE

Belmont Pastor and Choir to Take Part in Salvation Army Service

REV. BRYCE H. WALLACE, M.A., B.D.

Rev. H. Bryce Wallace, M.A., B.D., and the choir of Belmont Avenue United Church will visit the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street, for the evening service tomorrow.

Mr. Wallace will be the guest preacher, taking for his subject, "The Good Soldier."

Adjutant C. J. Milley will lead the morning meeting at the citadel, and the usual praise meeting will be held in the afternoon. The songster brigade will be at the Rest Haven Sanitorium tomorrow afternoon.

CHURCH OF OUR LORD
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11:00 A.M.—Holy Communion and Sermon.
7:30 P.M.—Evensong and Sermon. Preacher at Both Services Rev. G. Herbert Scarrett, B.A.
SUNDAY SCHOOL
9:45 A.M.—Intermediates and Seniors.
11:00 A.M.—Primary.
ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE, 11:00 A.M.

Fairfield United Church
Corner Moss Street and Fairfield Road
Rev. Norman J. Crees, B.D., S.T.M.
11:00 A.M.—"My Presence With Thee." To Children: "Two Seas."
7:30 P.M.—"No Man Hath Seen God."

First United Church
Corner Quadra and Balmoral Road
Minister:
Rev. Hugh A. McLeod, M.A., B.D.
SUNDAY SERVICES
11:00 A.M.—Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, B.A., B.D., of Metropolitan United Church.
7:30 P.M.—Rev. William Allan, of Wilkinson Road United Church.
Sunday School
9:45 A.M.—Intermediates and Seniors.
11:00 A.M.—Primaries and Juniors.
Monday, 6:30 P.M.—Anniversary dinner, followed by a lecture by the Very Rev. Dean Spencer Elliott.

CENTENNIAL UNITED CHURCH
Gorge Road, Near Government St.
Pastor: Rev. Andrew D. Reid, D.D.
11 A.M.—"Third Beatitude—Meek but Mighty."
7:30 P.M.—"Quarrius, a Brother." Male Choir and Quartette.

Oak Bay United Church
Corner Granite and Mitchell Streets
11 A.M.—Public Worship
Special R.E. Service for the C.G.I.T. and Scouts
7:30 P.M.—Public Worship
Young People's Service
"Misinterpreting Life"
Minister, Rev. F. R. G. Dredge, M.A.

METROPOLITAN UNITED CHURCH
CORNER PANDORA AVENUE AND QUADRA STREET
PASTOR: REV. A. E. WHITEHOUSE, B.A., B.D.
11 A.M.—REV. HUGH A. McLEOD, M.A., B.D.
7:30 P.M.—REV. A. E. WHITEHOUSE, B.A., B.D.
9:45 A.M.—Intermediate and Senior Departments
11 A.M.—Junior, Primary and Beginners' Departments.

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HOLY TRINITY, SOOKE
ST. MATTHEW'S, LANGFORD

"YOU NEED GOD AND GOD NEEDS YOU"

WILL CONTINUE CREED SERVICE

Rev. J. L. McLean Affirms Belief in Christ at St. Andrew's Church

"I Believe in Jesus Christ—Crucified, Dead and Buried," will be the sermon subject at the morning service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church tomorrow, the minister, Rev. J. Lewis W. McLean, continuing his series on the Apostles' Creed. Members of the senior school will attend this service and the minister, assisted by Thomas F. Baxter, superintendent, will present awards to the highest ranking pupils in each class.

The evening service will also be conducted by the minister, who will preach, taking as his subject, "Out of the Jail House."

The choir, directed by C. C. Warren, will contribute the following numbers to the worship: Morning, solo by Mrs. Samuel Swetnam, "O Divine Redeemer" (Gounod); anthem, "Lord, I Have Loved the Habitation of Thy House" (Torrance). Evening, male quartette, "When I Shall See My King" (Towner); anthem, "Abide In My Love" (Clare).

The Sunday school will meet in the morning, senior school at 9:45 and beginners and primary at 11 o'clock during morning worship. The Young People's Society will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

FAIRFIELD ELDERS WILL BE INDUCTED

At Fairfield United Church on Sunday morning, Rev. Norman J. Crees will speak on "My Presence Shall Go With Thee," and to the children on "Two Seas." At this service the elders, recently elected, will be inducted by the minister. The text at the evening service will be "No Man Hath Seen God."

Music for the day follows: Morning, solo by Nell Perry, "O Saviour, Hear Me" (Gluck); anthem, "O Praise the Lord" (Wilton). Evening, anthem, "Bow Down Thine Ear" (Arensky); quartette, "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," Mrs. H. Humphrey, Miss E. Clarke, Robert Husband and George Warren.

ABSOLUTE SCIENCE

At 11 a.m. tomorrow the usual meeting will be held at the House of True Prayer, 2315 Fernwood Road. Anyone interested in absolute Science is cordially invited.

Church Services Not Listed Elsewhere

Cadboro Bay Anglican Mission—Rev. F. Pike. Evensong and sermon, 7:30 p.m.

East Sooke School House—Rev. H. M. Bolton. Evensong, 1:30 p.m.

Holy Trinity, Sooke—Rev. H. M. Bolton. Evensong and sermon, 3 p.m.

St. Alban's Church—Rev. F. Comley. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Morning Prayer and sermon, 11 a.m.; Evening Prayer and sermon, 7 p.m.

St. John's, Colwood—Rev. R. E. M. Yerburgh. Matins and Holy Communion, 11 a.m.

St. Luke's, Cedar Hill—Rev. Frederic Pike. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins, 11 a.m.; Evensong, 7:30 p.m. (Rev. Canon Connell).

St. Mark's, Cloverdale—Rev. O. L. Jull. Holy Communion, 8 and 11 a.m.; Evensong, 7 p.m.

St. Martin's-in-the-Fields — Rev. Canon Stocken. Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Matins and sermon, 11 a.m.; Holy Baptism, 2:45 p.m.

St. Mary's, Metchosin—Rev. H. M. Bolton. Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, 11 a.m.

St. Mary's, Saanichton—Rev. R. J. Pierce. Matins and sermon, 10:30 a.m.

St. Matthew's, Langford—Rev. R. E. M. Yerburgh. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Evensong, 7 p.m.

St. Matthias'—Ven. Archdeacon F. C. Cornish. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Choral Communion, 11 a.m.; Evensong, 7:30 p.m.

St. Michael's, Royal Oak—Rev. S. J. Wickens. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins and sermon, 11 a.m.

St. Saviour's—Rev. F. V. Venables—Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins, 11 a.m.; Evensong, 7 p.m.

St. Stephen's, Mount Newton Crossroad—Rev. R. J. Pierce. Matins and sermon, 11:30 a.m.

Douglas Street Baptist—Rev. F. W. McKinnon, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Esquimalt United Naval and Military Church—Rev. James Hood, 10:30 a.m.

Garden City United—Rev. William Allan. Sunday school, 2:15 p.m.; public worship, 3:15 p.m.

James Bay United — Rev. C. D. Clarke, 7:30 p.m.

St. Aidan's United — Rev. T. G. Griffiths. Service, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Victoria West United—Rev. C. D. Clarke, 11 a.m.

Wilkinson Road United — Rev. William Allan. Sunday school, 10 a.m.; public worship, 11:15 a.m.

Erskine Presbyterian—Rev. T. H. McAllister, 7 p.m.

Gorge Presbyterian—Rev. T. H. McAllister, 11 a.m.

Salvation Army, Victoria West Corps—Major and Mrs. O'Donnell. Meeting, 11 a.m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.; meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Holding Special Services

First United Church, in which special anniversary services will be held tomorrow. Since its inception in 1862, the church has had two locations, the first being at the corner of Blanshard Street and Pandora Avenue. In 1913 the congregation moved to its present location on Quadra Street, the present church building, seen above, being dedicated on May 2, 1915.

Rev. J. R. Fife Is Evening Preacher At Christ Church

At Christ Church Cathedral tomorrow the Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 a.m., followed by a celebration of the Children's Eucharist at 9:40 a.m. The Dean will be the preacher at the Choral Eucharist at 11 a.m., and Rev. J. R. Fife will give the sermon at Evensong, 7:30 p.m.

On Ash Wednesday the Holy Communion will be celebrated at 7:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. The Dean will give an address at the evening service at 8 o'clock.

WILL EXCHANGE PULPITS SUNDAY

Rev. Hugh A. McLeod Guest Preacher at Metropolitan In Morning

Rev. Hugh A. McLeod, pastor of First United Church, will be the guest preacher in Metropolitan Church tomorrow morning. The choir will sing "Lord, I Have Loved" (Torrance), and Mrs. James Oakman will render the solo, "Spirit Divine" (Hamblen).

At the evening service the pastor, Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, will conduct the worship. The anthem by the choir will be "Love of the Father" (Bancroft) and "Come, Let Us Worship" (Palestrina).

SUBJECT IS THE SPRING OFFENSIVE

"The Spring Offensive" will be the subject of E. E. Richards' address to be given on Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Campbell Building, under the auspices of the British-Israel World Federation.

In speaking on the expected general offensive in March, the speaker will take in the whole question of the war, its origin and purpose, the vast scale of the preparations and the increasing evidence that Christianity itself hangs in the balance. The darkened outlook in the Pacific, which the speaker claims threatens British Columbia, and the dangerous divergencies in South Africa, India and Ireland, will be discussed.

B.-I. Speaker to Ask Is This a Holy War?

Mrs. G. E. Altree Coley will address the public meeting of the Victoria branch of the British-Israel World Federation on Tuesday night in the Y.M.C.A. hall. Taking for her title "Is This a Holy War?" she will discuss the ominous revelations made in "The Revolt of Nihilism" and compare the differences between British and German history and philosophy. The Minnie Eason Circle will meet in the Y.W.C.A. Thursday at 2:45 p.m., when Mrs. Johnson will speak on "The Mystery of the Scriptures."

OPEN DOOR SPIRITUALIST

At the Open Door Spiritualist Church, Surrey Block, 639 Yates Street, at 7:30 p.m. tomorrow, Rev. Ada Garrad, of the College of Psychic Science, will be the guest speaker, her subject being "Spirit Return," with messages at the close of the service. In the afternoon at 2:30 she will hold a clairvoyance circle, and on Monday at the same time a psychometry circle.

Rev. Walter Holder will hold a trance and message circle on Monday at 7:45 p.m., and the usual healing and message circle on Thursday at 8 o'clock.

"Love" To Be Subject On Sunday

"Love" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday. The golden text is: "The love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us" (Romans v, 5).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the path of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil," etc. (Psalms xxiii, 1 to 6).

Passages will also be read from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health, With Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.

TWILIGHT RECITAL AT FIRST BAPTIST

Programme Tomorrow Will Be Given by Victoria Musical Arts Society Choir

The second of the afternoon twilight musical recitals will be held tomorrow at 3 o'clock in First Baptist Church, with the Victoria Musical Arts Society choir providing the programme, which is as follows:

Sidney Chiverall, baritone, "My Abode" (Schubert) and "Great Isis" (Mozart), accompanied by Mrs. C. C. Warn; Ursula Hills, pianist, "Polonaise Brilliante" (Chopin) and "Harp Etude" (Chopin); Peggy Moore, soprano, "The Lord's Prayer" (Mallotte) and "Lullaby" (Scott), accompanied by Mrs. Jamie Cameron; Mme. Reese-Burns, "Aux Italians" (Owen Meredith); intermission.

Sidney Chiverall, baritone, "Bois Epais," lullaby, and "Invictus" (Huhn), accompanied by Mrs. C. C. Warn; Julia Kent-Jones, violinist, "Rondo" (Mozart-Kreisler), accompanied by Miss Doreen Briggs; Peggy Moore, soprano, "Lullaby" (Brahms) and "The Spirit Flower" (Campbell-Tipton).

SPECIAL SPEAKER ON WORLD EVENTS

Dr. Arthus I. Brown to Give Messages in Light of Prophecy at Central Baptist

Dr. Arthur I. Brown, Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh, and Christian scholar, will be the special speaker at the Central Baptist Church, Pandora Avenue, for three meetings on Sunday, when he will deal with world events in the light of prophecy.

On Sunday at 11 a.m. the subject will be, "The Years the Locust Hath Eaten." At the afternoon rally at 3 o'clock, Dr. Brown will speak on the subject, "The World's Judgment—the Great Tribulation—Will the Church Escape?" At the evening service, his message will be "Two Men From Paradise Versus Two Men From Hades, a Great Conflict of the Near Future."

ASH WEDNESDAY

The following services will be held on Ash Wednesday: St. Alban's Church, Rev. F. Comley, 10:30 a.m.; Rev. R. J. Pierce, 8 p.m.

St. John's, Colwood, Rev. R. E. M. Yerburgh. Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m.; Rev. F. Pike, Lenten service, 8 p.m.

St. Matthew's Langford, Rev. R. E. M. Yerburgh, Holy Communion, 10:30 a.m., and on Thursday, Rev. J. R. Fife, Lenten service, 8 p.m.

BIBLE SOCIETY MEETS TUESDAY

Chaplains Will Receive New Testaments for Soldiers And Sailors

The sixty-sixth annual meeting of the Victoria branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society will be held on Tuesday in the Memorial Hall, Vancouver Street, under the presidency of Right Rev. H. E. Sexton, Bishop of Columbia. The address will be delivered by Rev. J. H. Riddell, D.D., late principal of the United Colleges in Winnipeg. Dr. Riddell was for some years the president of the Manitoba auxiliary of the British and Foreign Bible Society and is well qualified to speak of its world-wide work.

The British and Foreign Bible Society was formed in 1804, and the president of the parent society in London, England, is H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught, K.G. Auxiliaries have been organized in all countries of the world.

At the meeting on Tuesday, New Testaments for the soldiers and sailors will be delivered to the representative chaplains. These are the testaments provided by the funds raised in response to the special appeal made in December. The public is cordially invited to attend the meeting.

ST. JOHN'S HAS PULPIT GUEST

Rev. Canon H. G. King, Vancouver, Will Preach at Both Services

The services at St. John's Church for Quinquagesima Sunday will include Holy Communion at 8 a.m., when the A.Y.P.A. will have its corporate communion, followed by fellowship breakfast; Morning Prayer and Holy Communion at 11 a.m., with Rev. Canon H. G. King, rector of St. Paul's Church, Vancouver, as the preacher.

An organ recital will be given by G. Jennings Burnett immediately before the evening service, commencing at 7:10 o'clock, when the following numbers will be rendered: "Netherland Folksong" (Kremser), "Melody" (MacDowell) and "Moonlight Adagio" (Beethoven). The anthem at the evening service will be "Saviour, Thy Children Keep" (Sullivan), and the preacher Canon King.

On Ash Wednesday there will be Holy Communion at 10:30 a.m., and on Thursday there will be a service of intercession at 7:30 a.m.

At St. Barnabas'

The services at St. Barnabas' Church tomorrow, Quinquagesima Sunday, will be: Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; choral Eucharist and sermon, 11 a.m.; Evensong and sermon, 7:30 p.m. Special music will be rendered at Evensong, under direction of Dr. J. E. Watson.

Holy Eucharist is celebrated daily at 8 a.m., and on Wednesday at 8 p.m. a service of intercession will be held on behalf of all mankind engaged in the present conflict.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN

At Knox Presbyterian Church, Rev. J. Mackie Niven will preach on Sunday morning in continuation of studies of Bible characters in Genesis; subject, "Joseph." R. McDonald will give a short gospel talk at the service of praise in the evening at 7:30 o'clock.

CHURCH NOTICES

LIBERAL CATHOLIC
Church of St. George, 1011 Government. Services Sundays: Holy Eucharist, 11 a.m. Solemn Benediction, 7:30 p.m. Other services as announced.

CHRISTADELPHIAN
Christadelphian, Orange Hall, Courtney Street. Morning, 11; evening, 7:30; subject, "The Gospel in Revelations." All welcome.

GOSPEL HALLS
Oaklands Gospel Hall, Hillside car terminus. Sunday, 10 a.m., Bible classes; 11 a.m., worship; 3 p.m., Sunday school; 7:30 p.m., Gospel service, speaker, Mr. H. L. Hopkins. Thursday, 2:30 p.m., women's Gospel meeting; 8 p.m., Prayer and Bible study, subject, "Allegory of Hagar and Sarah," Galatians, Chapter 4. Friday, 7 p.m., children's lantern service.

Redfern Gospel Hall, 1602 Redfern Street. Sunday, 11 a.m., breaking of bread; 3 p.m., Sunday school and Bible classes; 7:30 p.m., Gospel, speaker, Mr. A. Mace, subject, "The Finished Work of Christ." Wednesday, 7:45 p.m., speaker, Mr. A. Mace. Friday, 7:30 p.m., children's lantern lecture. Come.

LUTHERAN
Grace English Lutheran Church, Blanshard at Queens. Pastor, Rev. Edwin Bracher. Services, 11:00, 7:45.

SALVATION ARMY
Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street. Sunday 11, 3:15 and 7:30. Sunday school 2. Thursday and Saturday night 8. Adjutant and Mrs. C. Watt.

SPIRITUALIST
First Spiritualist Church, 1216 Broad Street. Rev. B. Rodin, London, England, trance address. Sons service, 7:15 p.m., violin solo. Monday, psychometry circle, 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, 8 p.m., lecture. Thursday, open door circle, Women's Institute Rooms, Fort Street, 7:45 p.m.

First Spiritualist Church, silver tea home of Mrs. Milne, 2421 Douglas Street, Friday, 2:30 p.m., readings.

Open Door Spiritualist Church, 639 Yates Street. 7:30 p.m., Rev. Ada Garrad, late of Calgary. Sunday and Monday at 2:30, Rev. Ada Garrad will hold message circles. Monday, 7:45, trance message circle, Mr. Holder.

Mission of Alexis, 1416 Douglas Street. 7:30, address, messages, Mrs. McDermott. Thursday, 8, circle, 1042 Balmoral.

THEOSOPHICAL
Victoria Theosophical Society, Jones Building, Fort Street. Public meeting Wednesday, 8 p.m., subject, "Good and Evil."

Day of Prayer To Be Observed By Local W.M.S.

February 9 will be observed as a day of prayer by the Women's Missionary Societies of the various churches throughout Canada. In Victoria, the service is to be held in the Central Baptist Church, Pandora Avenue, on Friday next at 3 o'clock, with ladies from the missionary societies of all churches taking part.

The special need of prayer at this time of world crisis will, it is hoped, draw a large gathering of Christian women together, at the same time that similar groups will be meeting right across Canada.

ANNIVERSARY TO BE CELEBRATED

Guest Preachers Will Take Special Services at First United Church

REV. A. E. WHITEHOUSE, B.A., B.D.

Special services will be held in First United Church tomorrow in commemoration of its seventy-eighth anniversary. Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, of Metropolitan United Church, will preach at the morning service and Rev. William Allan, of Wilkinson Road United Church, and moderator of the presbytery of Victoria, will give the sermon at the evening service.

Formerly the First Presbyterian Church, it was established on February 3, 1862, and was the earliest Presbyterian congregation west of Kildonan, Manitoba. Two former pastors still survive: Rev. Dr. J. G. Inkster, who is now preaching at St. John's Presbyterian Church, Wellington, New Zealand, and Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson, who is pastor of Knox United Church in Calgary. The present pastor, Rev. Hugh A. McLeod, M.A., B.D., came here from Edmonton in September, 1938.

INCREASING MEMBERSHIP

The congregation has had a record of steadily increasing membership, which is now 1,672, and First United Church stands among the foremost in Canada in its continued interest in missionary causes. To mark the seventy-eighth anniversary, the congregation proposes to raise $2,000 as the commencement of a fund to extend the present Sundya school accommodation.

On Monday evening a special anniversary dinner will be provided by the women's association, when Very Rev. Dean Spencer Elliott, of Christ Church Cathedral, will give an illustrated lecture on "From England to the Himalayas."

Music for the services tomorrow follows:

Morning, solo, "I Will Extol Thee" (Costa), Mrs. W. H. Wilson; anthem, "Prayer of Thanksgiving" (Kremser). Evening, trio, "Thou Shalt Love" (Costa), Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Miss C. Menzies, W. C. Fyfe; anthem, "Lord, I Have Loved" (Torrance), soloist, Mrs. R. Nash.

LECTURER HAS JEWISH TOPIC

Rev. S. R. Orr Will Discuss International Affairs Sunday Night

"Straightening Out the Jew in the World Tangle" will be the subject of the lecture to be given by Rev. S. R. Orr at the Crystal Garden auditorium on Sunday evening. He will then deal with the part played by the Jew in the international situation, the League of Nations, the Russian Revolution, and present-day Communism. Some of the questions to be answered are:

"Is it just a myth that the Jew is a powerful financial, political and international figure?"

"Are all Jews to be connected with and be under suspicion because the Jews played a part in financing and organizing the Russian Soviet?"

"How can Soviet Russia be a Jewish set-up and yet be a partner with Hitler against the democracies?"

"Are the Jews the real power behind present-day Communism?"

There will be no soldiers' and sailors' supper this Sunday, but a congregational dinner will be held in the Foresters' Hall on Tuesday evening at 6:30.

Rev. G. H. Scarrett Is Preacher Sunday at Church of Our Lord

Services at the Church of Our Lord on Sunday will be: Holy Communion and sermon at 11 a.m., and Evensong and sermon at 7:30 p.m. The acting rector, Rev. G. Herbert Scarrett, B.A., will preach at both services.

On February 7, being Ash Wednesday, there will be a service in the church at 11 a.m.

VICTORIA TRUTH CENTRE
720½ Fort Street
W. A. WICKS, SPEAKER
Sunday, 11 A.M.—"Eat, Drink and Be Merry."
Sunday, 11 A.M.—Sunday School.
Sunday, 7:30 P.M.—"The Mainspring of Desire."
Tuesday, 8 P.M.—Young People's Society.
Thursday, 8 P.M.—"Seeing Eyes." Roland S. Braley, speaker.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Douglas Street at Broughton
Minister: Rev. J. L. W. McLean, M.A.
11 A.M.—"Jesus Christ—Crucified"
7:30 P.M.—"Out of the Jailhouse!"
Favorite Hymns
WE WELCOME VISITORS

First Church of Christ, Scientist
Chambers St. and Pandora Ave.
This Church is a Branch of The Mother Church
The First Church of Christ Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts
Sunday Services 11 A.M., 7:30 P.M.
Subject
"LOVE"
Sunday School—9:45 and 11 A.M.
Testimonial Meeting, Wednesday, 8 P.M.
The public is invited to use the Christian Science Reading Room and Lending Library at 512 Sentland Building, 1207 Douglas Street.
All Are Welcome

PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE
842 NORTH PARK STREET
E. W. Robinson, Pastor
8:45 A.M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A.M.—Communion Service.
7:30 P.M.—Evangelistic. Pastor L. Blackmore of Fort Alberni, speaking.

First Baptist Church
Quadra and Mason Streets
Rev. G. A. Reynolds, Minister
SUNDAY SERVICES
11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.
S. Wilson-Hodgson, L.R.S.M., A.T.C.M., Organist and Choir Director

DR. A. I. BROWN
Three Meetings on Sunday—World Events and the Word of God
CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
11 A.M.—"THE YEARS THE LOCUST HATH EATEN"
3 P.M.—"THE WORLD'S JUDGMENT—THE GREAT TRIBULATION—WILL THE CHURCH ESCAPE?"
7:30 P.M.—"TWO MEN FROM PARADISE vs. TWO MEN FROM HADES—A GREAT CONFLICT OF THE NEAR FUTURE"
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Victoria Branch of the British-Israel World Federation
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Y.M.C.A., TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 8 P.M., MRS. G. E. ALTREE COLEY, "IS THIS A HOLY WAR?"
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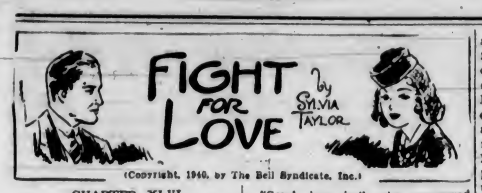
PUBLIC LECTURE BY E. E. RICHARDS, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5, AT 8 P.M., IN THE CAMPBELL BUILDING
"THE SPRING OFFENSIVE"
"B.C. AND THE DARKENED OUTLOOK IN THE PACIFIC."
"WHAT WILL BE THE OUTCOME IN SOUTH AFRICA?"
BRITISH-ISRAEL BOOKROOM, 640 FORT STREET (NEXT TO TIMES BLDG.)

CRYSTAL GARDEN AUDITORIUM - 7:30 - REV. S. R. ORR
"Straightening Out the Jew in the World Tangle"
Is it just a myth that the Jew is a powerful financial, political and international figure, or were Jews actually connected with the Russian Soviet, the League of Nations, and present-day Communism?
All Donations of Pies and Cakes Should Be at the Foresters' Hall for the Annual Congregational Dinner by 5 o'Clock Tuesday.



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CHAPTER XLVI

"I'm afraid you give me too much credit. I'm not at all like the ideal you've built up in your mind."

"You're the finest person I have ever known," she insisted. "But I know your faults, too. You are quick-tempered and irritable sometimes too when you are tired."

His eyebrows lifted whimsically.

"What? You admit it?"

"Of course! But that's only because you're so sensitive. And after all, you don't demand any more than you are willing to give."

"You spoil me, Star. You build me up until I feel like a superman."

"Well, you are one," she said so seriously that he smiled.

"We'd better be getting to work," he suggested. "It happens to be Monday morning."

A few moments later she was taking a letter from him, but nothing was the same. Nothing would be the same again. When noon came Star hurried with her lunch then put in her application at an agency he recommended, saying, "We often get girls from there. It's the best in the city."

So that now every time the telephone rang she would be afraid they might have found something for her. Every day might be her last with him. Each time he said good night and departed for those engagements which filled his calender might be the end. This knowledge she bore in her heart like a poisoned arrow. No wonder she lost weight. Her face became so thin that even Mamie noticed it.

"You look as if you hadn't eaten a square meal in weeks. What's the matter with you?" she demanded.

"Nothing. Here's your money, Mother."

"You aren't going to get sick, are you?" Mamie inquired anxiously. "That would be just my luck now that I'm dependent on you. And my Heart acting up until I think it will jump out of my body."

"You'd better see a doctor," Star suggested. "But I'm all right. You needn't worry about me."

"Mrs. Brady took me to hers," Mamie confessed. "He said I was overweight and anemic, and my nervous system is simply shot to pieces. I'm in no condition to work."

"I don't expect you to," Star assured her, adding, "You didn't tell him how much you've been drinking, I suppose.

"There you go! Bawling me out! That's what I get when I need a little sympathy. Your father was the same way. No one has ever understood me but Joe."

Star left, too depressed to argue. Th agency had not been able to place her although it had been almost two weeks. Nothing seemed to be working out for her. Everything was at a complete standstill until the day she answered the telephone on her desk to hear, "Mrs. Lambert is here and would like to see Mr. Wood."

Star glanced into the office where Milton sat absorbed in some papers.

"Send her in," she answered mechanically, but she sat as if paralyzed until she saw Nina's vivid face at the door. Expecting Nina to ignore her, Star was dumbfounded to hear her say, "Why, Star darling, what are you doing here! Why didn't Milton tell me you were working for him?"

Star had forgotten what a colorful person Nina was. Plumper than ever with a bright red hat perched upon her grey streaked curls, wearing a gay ensemble of blue and gold with gloves to match, and high-heeled red shoes. She kissed Star affectionately as if they had never had that fateful conversation in the girl's bedroom when Nina warned her secretary that marriage to her son would never be successful.

"Now tell me all about it," Nina commanded. "Of course you know Bob scoured the city for you before we went to Europe. He even went to see your mother."

"Yes, Star admitted, "Mother told me about it. But she didn't know where I was. I didn't tell her until after you were gone. How is he, Mrs. Lambert? And how are you?"

"Fine. Both of us are fine," Nina said hastily. "But when did you come to work for Milton?"

"Just before you sailed."

(To Be Continued)

INSOMNIA—SLEEPLESSNESS

It would seem that the matter of sleep and relaxation is now the subject of much thought and conversation because, during the past few years and at present, more and more individuals are finding it difficult to get "sufficient" sleep.

How can sufficient sleep be obtained? When there is pain or discomfort present, these conditions must be corrected, but what about those free from pain or discomfort?

A study of the sleep habits of fifty women who had recovered from slight mental or behavior disturbances and did not complain of insomnia, were observed for three months in an observation hospital and reported by Dr. Louis J. Karnosh, Cleveland, in the Journal of the American Medical Association.

The period of sleep varied from six and one-half to eight hours. Age, temperament, menstruation, and diet did not seem to influence the amount or degree of sleep.

"On the other hand, excitement due to visits by relatives, arguments or disagreements with other patients or attendants, and holidays with the emotion or excitement which occurs at these times, were definitely to blame for breaking the regular rhythm of sleep."

This shows that it is the nervous or mental side of us that "can't take" blows or disturbances and not so much the physical disturbances that prevent us from sleeping.

Another fact found, and this same fact has often been found before, is that lack of sleep will not cause severe mental disturbances or insanity. The knowledge that lack of sleep will not cause insanity or serious body disturbances is reassuring to those who fear the terrible consequences of sleeplessness. Further, observations by nurses and physicians all agree that most of us sleep longer than we think, because sleepless hours pass so slowly. Even the "half sleep" in which we think we are really awake is of great benefit as it slows down the pulse and lowers the blood pressure and temperature.

What is the best method of bringing on sleep? A good bed, a quiet room, and muscular relaxation—keeping arms and legs in a half-bent position—are most important.

When anxiety causes tension of muscles and nerves and the cause of the anxiety cannot be removed or fought successfully, the physician may give a quieting medicine. However, in the majority of cases the "anxious" individual does better and gets more sleep by trying to get problems or conflicts settled in some way during the day.

INFORMATION ON ARENA COMPILED

Alderman W. Lloyd Morgan Leaves Data for Approval of Minister Of Finance

Information on the city's legal status in regard to an arena was left yesterday with Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, by Alderman W. Lloyd Morgan, chairman of the City Council finance committee.

A copy of a council resolution offering support to any proposal to secure a Government grant for the project was also left with the minister.

Mayor Andrew McGavin had previously announced that the city might be able to provide a free site for an arena at Pandora Avenue and Blanshard Street.

He also raised the possibility of tax exemption for a period of twenty years and free water for a limited period, which would have to be covered in a by-law approved by taxpayers.

FLYIN' JENNY — *Jenny Finds Trouble* — By Russell Keaton

MUTT AND JEFF — *Beat Around the Bush Awhile* — By Bud Fisher

APPLE MARY — By Dale Allen

MORTIMER AND CHARLIE — *The Vanished American* — By Edgar Bergen

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LIFE'S LIKE THAT — By Fred Neher

"If It's All Right With You I'd Like to Be Transferred to Another Department . . . I Can't Swim a Stroke."

POPEYE

POP — *A Neat Reply* — By I Millar Watt

BLONDIE — *Quick, Blondie, th Vacuum Cleaner* — By Chic Young

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The Daily Colonist

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2 DEATHS

MARSH—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Wednesday, January 31, 1940, there passed away, at the age of eighty years, George Thomas Marsh, 2542 Graham Street. Born at Canterbury, Kent, England, the late Mr. Marsh came to Canada twenty-five years ago, coming direct to Victoria. There remain to survive his passing, besides his loving wife, at the residence, two sons, Joseph Edward Marsh and George Thomas Marsh; one daughter, Mrs. S. Sims, all of Victoria; twelve grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; also several relatives in Kent, England.
The remains are resting at the chapel of Sands Mortuary, Ltd., from where the funeral services will be conducted on Saturday, February 3, 1940, at 2 o'clock. Rev. R. Connell will officiate. Interment will be in the Colwood Burial Park.

JOHNSON—On January 31, 1940, at Victoria, B.C., Lucy Ann Johnson, of 1208 Ormond Street, aged ninety-four years, widow of the late Edwin Johnson, Q.C., former magistrate for City of Victoria, born in Leek, Stafford, England, but a resident of this city for over sixty years. Funeral services have been postponed until Saturday, February 3, the cortege leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company's Chapel at 2 p.m., proceeding to Christ Church Cathedral for services at 2.15, the Right Rev. H. E. Sexton, Bishop of Columbia officiating, assisted by Rev. J. R. Fyfe. Interment in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

PEARSON—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on February 1, 1940, Margaret Marie Pearson, aged eighty-one years, late residence, Capilano, North Vancouver, B.C., born in Nova Scotia. Survived by one daughter, Mrs. T. M. Branston, 922 Southgate Street; one brother, Morton Revsbeck, in United States, and one sister, Mrs. C. O. White, Bellingham, U.S.A. The remains are reposing in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company's Chapel, pending funeral arrangements.

REYNARD—At the family residence on Friday morning, Margaret Reynard, aged eighty-one years, wife of Arthur Reynard, of 749 Market Street. The late Mrs. Reynard was born in Victoria and had resided at Keating for more than sixty-five years before coming to Victoria four years ago. She is mourned by, besides her husband, three sons, Thomas Lidgate, of Victoria; William, of Ritzville, Wash., and Robert John Lidgate, of Fanny Bay, V.I.; and one daughter, Mrs. R. J. Hampton, of Victoria; also three brothers, Robert and James Greig, of Victoria, and Frank Greig, of Sproat Lake, V.I., and two sisters, Mrs. Emily Johnstone and Mrs. William Simpson, of Victoria. Funeral services will be held in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Canon R. J. Pierce, of St. Stephen's Church, Mount Newton Crossroad, will conduct the service, after which interment will be in St. Stephen's Churchyard.
(No flowers by request.)

5 IN MEMORIAM

FLETCHER—In loving memory of our dear mother, Nellie Maud Fletcher, who passed away February 3, 1931, and our dear father, Charles Cooper Fletcher, who passed away October 7, 1938.
God giveth His beloved rest.
Ever remembered by the family.

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AT COLWOOD HALL, DANCE, EVERY Saturday night, Stan Cross' Orchestra, 9 to 12. Refreshments. Admission 35c.

BRITISH IMPERIAL COMRADES' ASSOCIATION third annual dinner, under the patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor Eric W. Hamber, Spencer's dining-room, Saturday, February 3. Dress optional. Tickets $1.00, at Spencer's dining-room, Broad Street entrance.

BEST OLD-TIME DANCE IN TOWN. Floor has been sanded and is in first-class condition. Dance tonight, Scotty MacKenzie, M.C. Admission 35c. Refreshments and tombola prizes. Dancing 8 to 12, at Esquimalt Athletic Hall, Fraser Street.

DANCE—SATURDAY, MODERN, BUNNY Hall, 1305 Broad, 9 p.m., Charles Hunt's Orchestra. Admission 35c.

DANCE TONIGHT, CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. Evelyn Holt's five-piece orchestra. Admission 25c.

HOUSEWIVES' LEAGUE OF BRITISH Columbia organizing Victoria branch Tuesday, February 6, 2.30 p.m., 301 Union Building. Cordial invitation to all housewives interested in raising living standards and reducing living costs.

HAMPTON HALL MILITARY 500 EVERY Saturday, at 8.30. Fourteen prizes and refreshments. Admission 25c.

LOOK! THE SASKATCHEWAN ASSOCIATION social reunion and dance, A.O.F. Hall, Feb. 5 at 8 p.m. Admission for non-members 35c, by ticket only. Tickets may be obtained from Mr. Frank Greenway, Surgical Supplies, 764 Fort Street; Pollock Bros., florists, 1315 Douglas Street, and Mr. J. Neeley, manager, Douglas Hotel. Members pay at the door.

PROGRESSIVE FIVE HUNDRED, PRIDE of the Island Lodge, S.O.E. Hall, tonight, 8.20 o'clock prompt. Good prizes. Admission 25c.

TODAY, FEB. 3, RUMMAGE SALE IN aid of Solarium. 1234 Government Street. Sale starts 8 a.m.

500 CARD GAME, ESQUIMALT CARpet Bowling Club, tonight, 8.30.

13 WANTED—MALE HELP

QUALIFIED PLUMBER AND SEPTIC tank man wanted for month's work out of town. Transportation, board, helper and tools found. State wages required. Box 8554, Colonist.

WANTED BEGINNING MARCH—MARried man, Saanich, mixed farm, 12 miles Victoria, good knowledge dairy stock, agriculture, permanent employment; state age, experience, family details, references, wages wanted; give complete information first letter. Box 8570, Colonist.

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14 WANTED—FEMALE HELP

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WELL-EDUCATED STENOGRAPHER, 8 years experience book-keeping, legal, insurance, medical; excellent references, available April. Box 8314, Colonist.

WOMAN Wants Work—Washing, ironing, cleaning. 25c hr., car fare. E 5392. R. 1.

21 PERSONAL

A PERMANENT WAVE, INDIVIDUALLY styled. Special prices on shampoo and finger wave. Bert Wande Salon, 716 Yates Street. Telephone E 4023

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A GREAT VARIETY OF KNITTING wools for socks and sweaters. English make, 2 oz. for 35c. Fowler's, 734 Yates St.

CHILDREN CARED FOR BY EXPERienced English nurse, afternoons or evenings. 25c hour; any district. G 5789.

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LOST BY MISS RUTH DRAPER, A small gold brooch, with name "Ruth" set in diamonds, either on Government Street or along the footpath above cliffs on Dallas Road, between Government Street and Ross Bay Cemetery. The brooch is of much sentimental value and finder is asked to please return it to the private secretary of Government House.

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LOST BLACK LEATHER HANDBAG, containing considerable money and identifying papers. Mrs. Hceddy, Suite 16, Normandie Apartment. Reward.

LOST BLACK ENAMEL BROOCH, small diamond in centre; keepsake. Phone G 7066. Reward.

LOST—WALKING STICK, SPIRAL carved shaft, horseshoe handle. Phone E 9965.

LOST IN OAK BAY BUS, LEATHER Bible. Please phone E 6460. Reward.

STRAYED THURSDAY, BRITISH BULLdog, black and white, name Butch. Phone G 1667

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DOMINION FUEL CO — E 4734

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A SNAP—50 CDS. UP-ISLAND BARK end blocks, good and clean, all 12-in., for furnace, fireplace or heater. We deliver two full separate cords, not two cords in one. Reg. $2.75 cd., now 1 cd., $2.00; 2 cds., $3.75. One-week sale. National Fuel Co. G 5215.

A REAL BARGAIN — BEST QUALITY 100% fir inside blocks, mixed with heavy bark slabs from Malahat. Guaranteed never in water, ready to burn: 1 cd., $2.50; 2 cds., $4.50; bone-dry, $3.50 cd.; 2 cds., $6.50. Sooke Lake Fuel Co. G 2915. E 9111

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BEST WOOD IN TOWN FROM OUR mill, 25 miles up the Island. Logs cut last Summer never go in salt water. This is the cheapest wood in the long run, as it gives more heat and lasts longer, being all Douglas fir with no cedar or hemlock. All 12-inch. Suitable for kitchen, furnace, fireplace or heater. Ready to burn. Reg. $3.50, now $2.75 cd.; 2 cds., delivered separately, $5. Right measure. Prompt service.
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BONE-DRY MALAHAT FIR SLABWOOD, $4.25 cd. Bone-dry fir slabwood, mixed, $3.50 per cord. Bone-dry inside fir blocks, $5.00 cord. Bone-dry heavy fir slabs, $5.00 per cord. No. 1 fir millwood, $2.25 per cord. Inside fir blocks, $4.00 cord. Bhawnigan Douglas Fir Wood Company. Phone E 3914

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1927	STAR SEDAN	$85
1927	PONTIAC ROADSTER	$95
1927	PONTIAC SEDAN	$65
1928	WHIPPET COACH	$95
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1929	ESSEX SEDAN	$195
1929	CHANDLER SEDAN	$165
1927	PONTIAC SEDAN	$135
1930	AUBURN SEDAN	$225
1930	HUDSON SEDAN	$295
1931	BUICK SEDAN	$345
1926	PONTIAC SEDAN	$165
1929	CHRYSLER SEDAN	$275
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65 AUTOMOBILES (Continued)

SPRING SALE SPECIALS!

THESE CARS ARE IN PERFECT CONDITION and are fully guaranteed. At these sale prices, you have a chance to save $150, or more.

1938 ENGLISH FORD COACH—Sale price $515
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Reliable Transportation at a Minimum Cost. All in Running Order

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Trade-in allowances at this Great Used Car Sale are based on rising market values, but prices are NOT. You get the double benefit. Here are a few examples of many, many others:

1938 DE LUXE PONTIAC SEDAN $895
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1938 DODGE SEDAN $695
1930 STUDEBAKER SEDAN $245

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WILSON & CABELDU, LTD.
Open Evenings

1940 LICENCE INCLUDED DURING OUR FEBRUARY USED CAR SALE

1938 PONTIAC DE LUXE SEDAN This car is equal to new $895
1938 PONTIAC OPERA-SEAT COUPE. Heater and defroster $895
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IT'S A GIFT!

1936 LAFAYETTE VICTORIA SEDAN— Here is one of these economical, popular automobiles in first-class condition throughout. Has been driven only 13,000 miles by a careful driver. Tires, paint, upholstery in new car shape. This is a buy you can't afford to miss. Act quickly. Only $575

Open Evenings
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MAKE US AN OFFER

1929 PONTIAC SEDAN We're asking $95
1937 WHIPPET "4" SEDAN We're asking $95
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1928 FORD MODEL "A" TOURING We're asking $85

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5 GOOD USED 35 x 5 H.D. TIRES; other sizes on hand

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DOUGLAS TIRE SERVICE
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REAL GOOD BUYS
1940 Licence With All of These

CHANDLER SEDAN $95
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JONES BROS. SERVICE STATION, LTD.
Cor. Yates and Quadra Phone E 4021

66 WANTED

SELLING YOUR CAR?

LEAVE YOUR CAR AT OUR SHOWROOMS, or let us have the particulars and we will effect a quick cash sale.

JONES BROS. SERVICE STATION, LTD.
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65 AUTOMOBILES (Continued)

CASH FOR YOUR CAR FOR WRECKING. Cameron Bros. 1340 Craigflower. E 6588

67 BOATS AND LAUNCHES

EVINRUDE AND ELTO OUTBOARD MOTORS: good used motors! Guaranteed repair service. H. Palmer, 866 Yates.

FOR SALE—Completely overhauled engines of all makes, with propellers to suit your boat. We are now accepting orders for Spring delivery. Cameron Bros., headquarters for marine conversions, 1340 Craigflower, between Tillicum and Admirals Rds. E 6588.

FISHING TROLLER, 30 FT., TWIN marine engine, 10½ h.p., heavy duty, toilet, sink, cupboards, stove. First-class condition. Seen at Armstrong's Marine Wharf. Particulars, E 3537.

FIRE EXTINGUISHERS, SMALL SIZE, very low price. See us. Ship Chandlers, Ltd., 1214 Wharf Street. E 1141.

FAST RUNABOUT, 18-FT., NEEDS PAINTING only for 1940. $150. Phone E 2359.

MARINE ENGINE, 4-CYLINDER HORIZONTAL opposed, 21 H.P., first-class condition. $300 cash. Rodd Bros.

WANTED—SMALL OUTBOARD MOTOR, must be in first-class shape; cash. Box 8566, Colonist.

32-FT. CRUISER, 15 H.P. MARINE ENGINE. Apply boat Freedom, fisherman's dock.

75 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

CAPITAL REQUIRED FOR FACTORY EXPANSION; would consider selling part interest to right party. Box 8125, Colonist.

CONYERS-WILDERS CO., 621 BROUGHTON Street, the only firm in Victoria specializing in the sale of businesses.

FOR SALE—SMALL CAFE, $275, STEADY trade. Good reason for selling. Box 8810, Colonist.

FISH AND CHIP STORE. LOW RENT. Phone E 1561.

SUITABLE WORKING PARTNER, WILLING to invest $250 for half interest in well-established spray-painting business. Will stand full investigation. Box 8518, Colonist.

SPLENDID SITE FOR AUTO CAMP OR subdivision; 100 feet frontage Goras Road, 600 feet Admirals Road. $1,500 cash, $2,000 terms; either frontage. $800 cash. Box 8172, Colonist.

$3500 — CONFECTIONERY AND lunch counter business. Good location. Property included. Living quarters, four rooms.

$3000 — DOWNTOWN CAFE, DOING real good business. Established twelve years.

$700 — ROOMING HOUSE BUSINESS. Furnished house. Clean and well furnished. Good location.

CONYERS - WILDERS CO.
621 Broughton Street

$400 — GOOD LIVING, COFFEE SHOP close in, living quarters. 425 Scollard Building.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE

"SAANICH"

A BUNGALOW, four rooms and bathroom, also pantry, sunroom, cement basement, garage, blinds, linoleum, electric fixtures; Nice garden, high location; low taxes, $10 yearly. Near bus, city fares. Cash price $1195

"SAANICH"

A BUNGALOW, five rooms and bathroom. High location, Quadra-Cook district. Price $1500
Terms: $200 Cash, Balance Arranged

L. M. ROBEVEAR & CO., LTD.
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ATTRACTIVE, WELL - BUILT, FULLY-modern seven-roomed residence, splendidly appointed, amidst beautiful homes, Oakville district. Three bedrooms, fireplaces, dining, sitting, den, furnace, garage. Well rented. First-class home or investment. Reduced from $4,600 to $3,900. Good terms offered to responsible party. Particulars apply owner, Box 8538, Colonist.

OAK BAY

BEAUTIFUL, NEW, UP-TO-THE-MINUTE six-room bungalow, three bedrooms, amid lovely surroundings. Has everything the heart could desire. An exceptional buy at $4000

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FORTY-TWO ACRES, FIFTEEN MILES from Victoria. Beautifully wooded waterfront, over quarter mile in length, private bay, safe anchorage, salmon and spring fishing; six acres good rich land, ample water supply by gravity, private road, well-built house, three reception rooms, ten bedrooms, three bathrooms and usual offices, automatic heating. Price $31,500

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HOMES BUILT ON INSTALLMENT PLAN; also alterations. D. H. Bale, contractor. Fort at Stadacona Avenue.

NEARLY NEW, 8-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW, best part of city, 3 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, oak floors, fine kitchen, pantry, laundry room with gas stove, good inlaid basement, garage. Apply owner, 1025 Meares. E 7637.

OIL-HEATED HOUSE IN FAIRFIELD

ON TRUTCH STREET, WITHIN THE mile circle. Containing nine rooms with four fireplaces. Downstairs comprises reception hall, good-size living-room, large dining-room, cosy den, pantry, kitchen and laundry room. Upstairs there are five good-size bedrooms with closets, a bathroom and a separate toilet. The basement, with stone foundation and concrete floor, contains the hot-air heating system with Hart oil burner and a toilet. The lot is 50 x 164 feet, with lane in rear, on which is the garage. This house is well built, in quite good condition, and $3250
can be bought for

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Real Estate Dept.
1302 Government St. Phones: E 4126, E 3130

OAK BAY—NEW 5-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW, furnace heat to all rooms; garage in basement; clean lot; land in front of bungalow $2950
ready for lawn

GROCERY AND CONFECTIONERY ON corner, in good district, new building; living quarters $550
low rent

CROSS & CO.
Belmont House E 6633

COUNTRY COTTAGE

RECENTLY-BUILT, NEAT, FIVE-ROOM cottage. Living-room 14 x 20 feet, sunroom 8 x 9 feet, bathroom, hot and cold water. Almost three-quarters acre of land. Taxes $8. Close to churches, school and stores. Price, furnished $1350
Price, unfurnished $1300

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.
1216 Broad Street Real Estate

SMALL HALL, LANOFORD MAKE GOOD five-roomed house. Light. Water. Two acres. $800 cash. Belmont 33X.

OAK BAY SPECIAL

1106 Newport Avenue
Must be sold. Only $5000

THIS VERY ATTRACTIVE HIGH-CLASS eight-roomed residence, consisting of reception room, dining-room, den and kitchen, and four choice bedrooms—toilet separate from bathroom, two open fireplaces; hot-water heating, hardwood floors, granite veneer up to the ground floor, large garage, property nicely treed; reasonable taxes; immediate possession; terms, $1,500 cash, balance to arrange on reasonable terms. Full details at the office.

H. G. DALBY & CO., LTD.
634 View Street. Opposite Spencer's

$7500 — A RETIRED GENTLEMAN'S very fine country home, brand new, nicely situated about three miles from town. There are six well-arranged rooms, including large drawing-room, billiard room, and one of the finest kitchens you have ever seen. The views from this home are the finest to be had. Automatic heat, semi-air-conditioning, hardwood floors in all rooms; half-acre lot. Owner called away, offers rare bargain.

$6000 — AN ATTRACTIVE RESIDENCE of eight rooms, situated just outside the Uplands and commanding fine views of sea and islands. A very fine home, with large drawing-room, four bedrooms, oak floors, hot-water heating, large lot. All rooms are bright with nice outlook on all sides. Immediate possession.

$4000 — OWNER ORDERED ABROAD on active service, forced to sacrifice his brand new home. Five lovely rooms, including large living-room, beautiful modern kitchen, lovely bathroom, etc. Two very fine bedrooms. An exceptional home, located in a growing neighborhood near Uplands. Terms available.

A. R. MILLER
1309 Blanshard St. 1309 Blanshard St.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

OAK BAY SPECIALS

$2950 — STUCCO BUNGALOW, FIVE rooms, large open fireplace, hardwood floors, also nice attic, concrete basement, furnace and garage.

$1600 — BUNGALOW (CEDAR SIDING), large living-room, two bedrooms, cabinet kitchen, three-piece bathroom, recently built.

JOHN GREENWOOD
1241 Broad Street

$5750 — HIGH QUADRA, SEMI-BUNGALOW, eight rooms, six rooms on ground floor; two bathrooms. House in good condition inside and out. Good basement, furnace. Separate garage. Two lots, 60 x 120 each. Well laid out grounds with shade trees and ornamental shrubs. One must see this place to appreciate the value.

No Phone Information
CONYERS-WILDERS CO.
621 Broughton Street

$7500 — WATERFRONT HOME OF seven rooms with southern exposure. Its individuality has the appeal so seldom attained; Saanich taxes.

$2350 — LOVELY NEW FOUR-ROOM bungalow, has everything; a real buy.

NEWSTEAD REALTY
212 Scollard Building E 1621

79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

BUNGALOW, GOOD PART OAK BAY; basement. About $2,300 cash. Box 8597, Colonist.

HAVE BUYER FOR FIVE ACRES OR more, on Saanich waterfront, with dwelling, five to seven rooms. See T. B. Monk, J. H. Whittome & Co., Ltd., 118 Pemberton Building.

TO SELL OR TRADE
YOUR HOME, DUPLEX OR APARTMENT
See JOHNSTON & COMPANY, LTD.
1314 Broad St. Phone E 5241

SMALL MODERN COTTAGE IN GOOD condition, about 20 miles from Victoria, seaview; cheap for cash. Box 8541, Colonist.

SMALL BUNGALOW OR COTTAGE UNDER $2,000. Box 8606, Colonist.

WANTED TO BUY—MODERN HOME, or will rent furnished. Box 8607, Colonist.

WANTED—COTTAGE OR BUNGALOW. Have two lots in Oak Bay and car as down payment. Balance as rent. G 2612.

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

HIGH SITE GORGE BUILDING LOTS; all conveniences, six-cent car fare; good soil; good district; $200 each. See T. B. MONK.
J. H. WHITTOME & CO., LTD.
118 Pemberton Bldg. Phone E 9213

OAK BAY LOT, 55 X 120, NO ROCK. 3225. Phone G 7588.

SAANICH LOT, EXCELLENT LOCATION, going cheap at $200; taxes only $8.

NEWSTEAD REALTY
213 Scollard Building E 1621

SAANICH
HIGH LOCATION

$1100 — BUYS A COMPACT 4-ROOM little home on 4-mile circle, with a splendid view of the lake, comprising two bedrooms, kitchen, front room with open fireplace, two-piece bathroom and garage. Taxes only $13.

SAANICH REALTY COMPANY
3588 Quadra Street Phone E 0001

81 PROPERTY WANTED

HOMESITE WANTED ONE ACRE OR more on Saanich waterfront; must be cheap for cash. Box 8535, Colonist.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

OWNER SACRIFICING DESIRABLE waterfront property, fifty acres near Sooke subdivision. Good beaches and water. Box 8216, Colonist.

84 ACREAGE WANTED

WANTED—TWO TO SEVEN ACRES, with or without residence, with frontage on a main road in Saanich, within twelve-mile radius. Box 8609, Colonist.

85 FARMS FOR SALE

WATERFRONT FARM

15 ACRES CLEARED PRODUCTIVE land. Modern 5-roomed bungalow, hot and cold water, furnace. $5500
600 feet sheltered seafront.

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.
1216 Broad Street Real Estate

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO TRANSFER BEER LICENCE

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 15th day of February next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer Beer Licence No. 5088, issued in respect to premises known as the Colwood Hotel, situate at Colwood, B.C., and upon land described and known as Lot One (1) of Section One (1), Esquimalt District, Vancouver Island, according to Plan No. 4410, Victoria Land Registration District in the Province of British Columbia, from Robert Sutherland to Peter Hardie and Elizabeth Hardie, of Vancouver, B.C., the Transferees.

Dated at Vancouver, B.C., this 19th day of January, 1940.

PETER HARDIE
ELIZABETH HARDIE,
Witness: D. T. Ashley.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

Notice of Application for Consent to Transfer Club Licence to Other Premises

NOTICE is hereby given that on the expiration of this advertisement, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer Club Licence No. 126, issued in respect of certain premises situate at 705 Pandora Avenue, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, upon lands described as South ½ lot 163 and West and South part of Lot 158, Victoria City, Victoria Land Registration Act, to certain premises situate at 845 Johnson Street, Victoria, aforesaid upon lands described as the westerly fifty feet of Lots 436 and 431, Victoria City, Victoria Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 4th day of January, 1940.

TILLICUM ATHLETIC CLUB.

TENDERS

TENDERS for the rewiring of Cloverdale School are called for by the Saanich School Board. Tenders to be sealed, marked "Tenders for Wiring," and delivered to the School Board office not later than 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, February 7, 1940. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Specifications to be seen at the School Board Office, Royal Oak B.C.

G. J. MORGAN,
Secretary.

SOME CHEAP HOMES

One-and-a-half-story home with basement. Best New Ewen. Mortgage will sacrifice for less than mortgage. Reasonable terms. High location $1200

OAK BAY SNAP

A real good home or rental investment. Six rooms, all on one floor; three bedrooms, room for two more upstairs. Enclosed stairway. Basement, furnace. Taxes only $35. Handy to car line and school. Full price (on terms) only $1800

Arthur E. Haynes, Ltd.
739 Fort St. Evenings: Phone G 3339

STORE AND COTTAGES FOR SALE

Store with living quarters, four-roomed cottage and three-roomed cottage, plastered walls and open fireplaces. Three cabins with two rooms, one cabin with three rooms. A dozen boats. Handy to Victoria on lake waterfront. Fishing improving every season. Ready to take over and open up for business now. Price $4500

CHRISTOPHER & SWAYNE, LTD.
624 VIEW ST. PHONES: G 1121-2-3
Insurance - Real Estate

COLES, HOWELL & CO., LTD.

TEN MILE POINT

We have been requested by the owner to dispose of the following properties, and feel they should be seen if you are interested in this district:

A NEW MODERN HOME OF 5 ROOMS, air conditioning, copper piping, monel metal tank included among the many attractive features make this a desirable property. Situated back from the road in a large lot with sea view adds to its privacy. Very attractive terms at $5000

MODERN 4-ROOM COTTAGE, DOUBLE garage, well treed lot. Rented at $30 per month. Price (or near offer) $2500

OAK BAY AVENUE

AN EXCELLENT 5-ROOMED HOUSE with 2 rooms upstairs, living-room, dining-room and 3 bedrooms down; 3-piece bathroom downstairs. Nice orchard and garden. Price $2100
with one lot $2600
with two lots

SIDNEY

WATERFRONT PROPERTY WITH NEW modern 7-room house with basement, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, large panelled living-room with plate glass windows overlooking sea and island. Has a very good vegetable and flower garden. The property is ¼-acre, and is worth investigating at the price of $3500

QUADRA STREET

THIS PROPERTY CONSISTS OF 3 acres, and has a house of 8 rooms and basement with furnace. Panelled drawing-room, open fireplace. Extra room in basement. Cultivated, and has some oak trees on property. Price $3800

ADJACENT WATERFRONT

1½ ACRES PARTY CLEARED, 2-ROOM cottage, water, light, garage. For quick sale $850

COLES, HOWELL & CO., LTD.
638 VIEW STREET G 1032

WATERFRONTAGE

ON GORGE—Craigflower ride, almost opposite Dysart Road, 1.71 acres, beautifully treed, fine soil, low taxes (Government). Price cut in half to $800

HUDSON'S SUBDIVISION — Beautiful Gorge lots, inland and waterfront. Priced from ..... $250 to $1250
Inquire at office for full particulars.

SEAFRONTAGE of 700 feet, ever-running stream, nicely treed, orchard, fifteen acres, Esquimalt Lagoon, nine miles from city. Offers invited. Separate acreage may be sold off.

TEN MILE POINT

$1200 ONLY for large waterfront lot. A lovely building site, facing south.

$4200—In same district. High ground, half acre, fine views south of sea and mountains. Fully modern five-room bungalow, oak floors in all rooms except kitchen. Oak trees and rock garden.

STADACONA PARK DISTRICT

Very nice seven-room stucco bungalow on a treed lot. Not far from Belmont. Price $3950

B.C. LAND
AND INVESTMENT AGENCY, LTD.
922 Government St. Phones G 4115-6

LAKE VIEW
½ ACRE OF GROUND

One block from bus line, close to schools and in the 2½-mile circle. Five-room house. Living-room, kitchen and bedroom downstairs, with two bedrooms upstairs. New plumbing and fixtures throughout, new roof, new garage. Taxes $17. This home has just been put on the market and is offered for cash $1750

3 YEARS OLD
CEDAR SIDING BUNGALOW

Four rooms, large living-room with fireplace, good-sized kitchen, three-piece bathroom, and two bedrooms. This home is well situated on high ground overlooking the surrounding country, and has a half-acre of ground. Price $2000
Terms arranged or house in Gorge district for owner's equity.

For More Information See
C. FARRANT H. LINEHAM

Johnston & Co., Ltd.
1315 BROAD STREET E 5241

Saanich Home

High elevation, overlooking sea. Seven rooms, all nicely arranged. Built but a few years. Home in among beautiful trees and an ideal spot for one wishing a partly secluded location. Several acres in this property. Price $4500

Rooming House

Of nine rooms, fully furnished. But few minutes from business district. Price $2250
When Phoning Ask for MR. FIELDS

MEHAREY & CO.
LIMITED
621 Fort Street Phone E 1187

FAIRFIELD

$2250—Five-roomed bungalow, in good condition; open fireplace, cement basement, furnace; reasonable terms.

$3600—Six-roomed stucco bungalow. Wonderful value for money. Oak floors, hot-water heating, breakfast nook, etc. Up-to-date home at bedrock price. Half cash, balance arranged.

Keisterman, Forman & Co.
608 VIEW STREET

OAK BAY
NEW SECLUDED BUNGALOW

On a quiet street, among shade trees, this attractive home has just been completed. It contains well-balanced living and dining-rooms, nicely planned kitchen with all-enamel cabinet sink. Two bright bedrooms with corner windows and cedar closets. Oak floors in hall and main rooms, and has hot water heating. Garage in cement basement. Price $4150

Mara, Bate & Co., Ltd.
640 FORT STREET PHONE E 7194

PEMBERTON'S

OCEAN AND MOUNTAIN VIEW

AN ATTRACTIVE RESIDENCE of seven rooms, living-room, dining-room, kitchen and four bedrooms, lovely view property, the residence could be used as a small guest house or as a private residence. It is well built; property comprises a double lot. Wood and coal range, a gas range, blinds and linoleum included.
Price $4500
(Terms arranged)

APARTMENT

Near Beacon Hill Park, three suites, one five-room, two three-room, each with private bathroom. Full basement with automatic oil hot water heating plant controlled from one suite. It is in splendid condition, faces south, unbeatable location and shows excellent return. This is first and last price $3150

CLOSE-IN SAANICH

Four-room frame bungalow with cement basement, pipeless furnace, attached garage, three-piece bathroom; good lot with fruit trees. It is close to bus, 5-cent fare. Owners wants $1,600, but any reasonable offer considered. Taxes $11.00. It is worth $1600

BUSINESS PROPERTY

On Quadra Street, a store with living quarters of five rooms, bathroom, garage and woodshed. It is in a live business district, and anyone purchasing property can carry on a general grocery on the spot. Taxes $70.
Full price of property $1250

Pemberton & Son Limited
625 Fort Street Pemberton Building
Phone G 8124

P. R. Brown & Sons, Ltd.

GENTLEMAN'S HOME

Not often can we offer such a high-class home at anything like the price now quoted. Built for the present owner, it includes practically everything demanded by the most exacting buyer, such as: Excellent hardwood floors, expensive fixtures and specially imported hardware fittings. Ten splendid rooms, hot water heating with oil burner, attractively laid out garden, etc. Southern exposure with gorgeous views over sea and mountains. View by appointment only, and no telephone information, please. For a short time only, price reduced from $17,000 to $13,650

HIGH FAIRFIELD

Seven-roomed house, three bedrooms upstairs, furnace and fireplace. Near car line and park $1600

NORTH QUADRA AREA

Cosy five-roomed bungalow in an exceptionally high location; part basement, open fireplace, furnace, etc. Now offered at $1625

Your listings are solicited. Please give us a phone call and we will inspect immediately.

P. R. Brown & Sons, Ltd.
1112 BROAD STREET PHONE G 7171

Randall's

SAANICH

CLOSE IN, FIVE ROOMS. Three lots. Low taxes. Basement, furnace $1900

GORGE

FOUR - ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW, with large living-room, kitchen and bedroom downstairs, with two bedrooms upstairs. New plumbing and fixtures throughout, new roof, new garage. Taxes $17. This home has just been put on the market and is offered for cash $1750

3 YEARS OLD
CEDAR SIDING BUNGALOW

Four rooms, large living-room with fireplace, good-sized kitchen, three-piece bathroom, and two bedrooms. This home is well situated on high ground overlooking the surrounding country, and has a half-acre of ground. Price $2000
Terms arranged or house in Gorge district for owner's equity.

VICTORIA WEST

SIX ROOMS, NEWLY PAINTED. Garage, part basement. High location. Low taxes. Price, on terms $1250

DOMINION ROAD

FOUR ROOMS, BASEMENT. In need of some repairs, but a real good buy for cash $750
Please See Mr. Robertson for the Above

George Randall
1303 DOUGLAS ST. G 7241

$1800 — CAMP LOCATED ON COOK Street, close to Beacon Hill Park, school and street car. Living-room, dining-room, open fireplace, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, 2 toilets, kitchen, washroom. Cement basement, furnace and separate garage. A nice home in a nice district.

$2750 — FAIRFIELD, CLOSE TO sea, 2-suite house. Lower suite has living-room, dining-room, 3 bedrooms, kitchen and pantry. Upper has large living-room, 1 bedroom and combined kitchen-dining-room, bathroom and separate toilet, and is rented for $27.50 a month. Cement basement with sawdust burner furnace. Garage for two cars. A nice home, and a revenue.

E. E. HEATH
625 YATES ST. PHONE E 4641

"JAMES BAY"

Very comfortable family home of seven rooms, full basement and furnace. Main floor has living-room, two bedrooms, kitchen and three-piece bathroom. Three more finished rooms upstairs. Lovely garden, and located in a very nice district.

REDUCED PRICE $1900

J. C. BRIDGMAN
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Radio Programmes

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

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Weather: Manny Strand's Orch. (KIRO), Kings of Rhythm (KOL).

11:45 P.M.—Midnight Matinee (KOL).

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1,450 Kcs.)

7:00 a.m.—Yawn Patrol.
8:15 a.m.—Breakfast News.
8:30 a.m.—Musical Chronometer.
9:00 a.m.—"Awakening."
9:15 a.m.—Morning Classics.
9:30 a.m.—Financial Flashes.
9:45 a.m.—Today's Dance Band.
10:10 a.m.—Melody Lane.
10:00 a.m.—Morning Monitor.
10:30 a.m.—Featurettes.
11:00 a.m.—Songs From Shows.
11:30 a.m.—Music at Random.
12:00 noon—Concert Time.
12:10 p.m.—Red Cross.
12:30 p.m.—Midday News.
12:45 p.m.—Noon-Hour Varieties.
1:25 p.m.—World Book Man.
1:30 p.m.—Memory Parade.
1:45 p.m.—Wrestling Interview.
2:00 p.m.—Concert Hour.
2:00 p.m.—Rhythm Rulers.
2:30 p.m.—Musical Quiz.
4:00 p.m.—Old-Time Frolic.
4:30 p.m.—Teatime Tunes.
5:00 p.m.—Monitor Comment.
5:10 p.m.—Everything in Music.
5:30 p.m.—Radio Birthday Party.
6:30 p.m.—News Summary.
6:45 p.m.—Sports Slants.
7:00 p.m.—Where to Go.
7:15 p.m.—Fiesta.
7:45 p.m.—Saturday Symphony.
8:45 p.m.—Basketball.
12:00 m.n.—DX Frolic.

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Sunday's Programme

8:00 A.M.—Walter Lossin's Musicals (CBR, KOMO).
Church of the Air (KJR).
West Coast Church of the Air (KIRO).
Brother Al. Helfer Says (KOL).

8:15 A.M.—Christian Science (KOL).

8:30 A.M.—Southernaires (CBR, KJR).
Music and American Youth (KOMO).
Swedish Tabernacle (KIRO).
Sunrise Serenads (KOL).

8:45 A.M.—Canary Chorus (KOL).

9:00 A.M.—Just Mary (CBR).
Seattle Pacific College (KOMO).
Music Hall (KJR).
Major Bowes' Capitol Family (KIRO).
Persis String Quartette (KOL).
B.C. Church of the Air (CJOR).

9:15 A.M.—Julio Martinez Oyanguren, guitarist (CBR).

9:30 A.M.—News (CBR).
Salt Lake City Tabernacle Choir (KIRO): (CBR at 9:35 a.m.).
American Wildlife (KOL).
Request Hour (CJOR).

9:45 A.M.—March of Health (KOL).

10:00 A.M.—Old Country Mail (CBR).
Pilgrimage of Poetry (KOMO).
Compass Mission (KJR).
Church of the Air (KIRO).
Sumner Prindle (KOL).

10:15 A.M.—Modern Serenade (CBR).
Music for Moderns (KOMO).
Romance of Highways (KOL).

10:30 A.M.—And It Came to Pass (CBR).
From Hollywood Today (KOMO).
Metropolitan Moods (KJR).
News. Grand Hotel (KIRO).
Mighty I Am Presence (KOL).
Morning Concert (CJOR).

10:45 A.M.—Holy Names Union (KOL).

11:00 A.M.—String Quartette (CBR).
Ricardo and Orchestra (KOMO).
Great Plays (KJR).
Plymouth Congregational Church (KIRO).
Mystery History (KOL).
Metropolitan Tabernacle (CJOR).

11:30 A.M.—Devotional Service (CBR).
Chicago Round Table (KOMO).
Univ. Christian Church (KOL).

12:00 Noon—N.Y. Philharmonic Orchestra (CBR).
The Choir (KOMO).
Vincent Gomez, guitarist (KJR).

12:15 P.M.—Paul Carson (KOMO).
Foreign Policy Association (KJR).
Philharmonic Symphony of New York (KIRO).

12:30 P.M.—News From Europe (KOMO).
Tapestry Musicale (KJR).
Haven of Rest (KOL).
Nathanel Shilkret's Orchestra (CJOR).

12:45 P.M.—Yvette, singer (KOMO).
Ballad Music (CJOR).

1:00 P.M.—Seattle Playhouse (KOMO).
Sunday Vespers (KJR).
Nobody's Children (KOL).
Sunday Singers (CJOR).

1:15 P.M.—Sunday Song Service (CJOR).

1:30 P.M.—Musically Speaking (CBR).
The World In Yours (KOMO).
Rev. Henry H. Ness (KJR).
Pianoforos (KIRO).
Lutheran Hour (KOL).
Shut-In Programme (CJOR).

1:45 P.M.—Concert Music (CBR).
George Bond (CJOR).

2:00 P.M.—The Church of the Air (CBR).
Garden Talk (KOMO).
Edward Davies, baritone (KJR).
"Spelling Bee Liner" (KIRO).
Appointment With Health (KOL).
News (CJOR).

2:15 P.M.—Bob Becker (KOMO).
Dinah Shore (KJR).
The Gospel Chimes (CJOR).

2:30 P.M.—Tea Musicals (CBR).
Old Songs of the Church (KOMO).
Met. Opera Auditions (KJR).
Adventures of Dr. Hunt (KIRO).
Concert Time (KOL).

2:45 P.M.—Return to Romance (KIRO).
U.B.C. Drama (CJOR).

3:00 P.M.—Silver Theatre (CBR, KIRO).
Catholic Hour (KOMO).
Book of Daniel (KJR).
I Want a Job (KOL).

3:15 P.M.—Poursquare Gospel Lighthouse (CJOR).

3:30 P.M.—The World Today (CBR).
Beat the Band (KOMO).
John Brown's (KJR).
Melody Ranch (KIRO).
Show of the Week (KOL).

3:45 P.M.—News; Recorded Interlude (CBR).
The People's Church (KJR).

4:00 P.M.—Bach Cantata (CBR).
Professor Puzzlewit (KOMO).
Lutheran Gospel Hour (KJR).
The War This Week (KIRO).
Nordic Hour (KOL).

4:15 P.M.—Old Refrains (CJOR).

4:30 P.M.—Appointment With Azzolini (CBR).
The Bandwagon (KOMO).
Musical Vignettes (KJR).
Memorable Melodies (KIRO).

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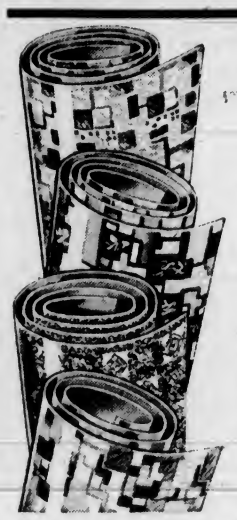

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Sale Price, Each **$12.90**

We have grouped an assortment of Occasional Chairs, ranging in price to $20.00. All are new stock and a good selection of colors to select from.
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AT SPECIAL FEBRUARY SALE PRICES

COMFORTERS—Featherdown filled and covered with floral and Paisley cambrics. Plain satin centres. These comfortables are rich looking and smart, but at the same time one of the most serviceable you can buy. Feruary Sale, each **$6.89**

COMFORTERS of soft featherdown with cambric covering and contrasting satin panels. Special, each **$5.89**

GREY PURE WOOL BLANKETS—Warmth-giving, serviceable blankets that represent a worthwhile saving at this price. Size 64 x 84 inches. A pair **$6.95**

FEATHER-FILLED BED PILLOWS in floral tickings. Well made and standard size. Each **69c**

UNBLEACHED SHEETS that will wear well and launder nicely. Good weight.
Size 63 x 90. A pair **$1.98**
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PILLOW CASES—Special, a pair **49c**

CHENILLE BEDSPREADS—White with colored tufting or with self-color grounds. Double bed size. Special, each **$6.95**

ALL-WHITE FLANNELETTE SHEETS—Extra wide and a good length to tuck in. Size 80 x 100 inches. February Sale, a pair **$3.79**

BED PILLOWS with feather and down filling, in smart medallion covering and extra large size. Usually $4.00. Special, each **$2.79**
—Staples, Main Floor

SPECIAL LUNCHEON
50c
Roast Leg of Lamb
Mint Sauce
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TODAY—11:30 to 2:30
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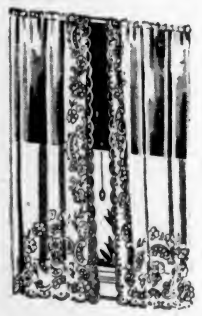

Rayon Net Curtains, 2¼ yards long and 43 inches wide. Bronze color and attractive designs.

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Three Special Sale Values at, a Yard
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Three Special Value Leaders for today's selling. A wide range of colors and designs that are up to date. Values exceptional!
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Drapery Yardage
At Sale Prices

CRETONNE, 36 inches wide. A choice of designs, including several pieces of printed crash. A yard **25c**

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Big Sale Value for Today

GREEN GLASS REAMERS on 10-ounce measuring jug. Complete **19c**

PINK RIBBED GLASS CREAM AND SUGAR—Large size and pretty shape. A pair **19c**

LARGE PINK GLASS SALAD BOWL and large serving plate. Complete **89c**

BELGIAN GLASSES—Orange with green base or clear glass with black base. Each **9c**

SQUARE CAKE PLATES with lovely blue flowered border. Each **35c**

TEAPOTS—English Brown Bettys or mottle banded 8-cup size— Specially priced, each **59c**
—Chinaware, Lower Main Floor

PROSPECTS ARE GOOD FOR YEAR

Phenomenal Increases Seen In Suburban Building During January

According to the permits issued during the month of January there is every evidence that Greater Victoria is launching out on a very active season of home building. As compared with January, 1939, Oak Bay shows in the permits taken out for the month ending yesterday an increase in value of homes planned of over 223 per cent. Esquimalt this January exceeds the corresponding month last year by about 44 per cent, while Saanich has nearly 20 per cent advance for January, 1940, over a year ago.

Oak Bay issued permits this month for thirteen new homes, with a value of $47,200 as compared with three permits for the same month in 1939 with a value of $14,600. There was a total of thirty-three permits, including improvements to twenty homes during the month just ended, representing a valuation of $50,000.

Saanich came a close second in January just closed, with nineteen permits for homes valued at $33,550 as compared with seventeen permits for houses in January, 1939, valued at $28,250. The grand total of permits issued in Saanich for the month just ended was thirty-two, with a valuation of $34,805, as compared with thirty permits a year ago, with a valuation of $32,037.

Esquimalt during the month just ended issued permits to the value of $8,500, as compared with $5,905 in January, 1939.

HER OWN FAULT

A snippy young flapper named Alice
Vowed she'd live in naught but a pallice.
Years flew, and, alack,
She hasn't a shack
And Alice a disgruntled Gallice.

What Today Means

"AQUARIUS"

If February 3 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 11:15 a.m. to 1:15 p.m., from 3:15 to 5:15 p.m., and from 9:15 to 11:15 p.m. The danger periods are from 9:15 to 11:15 a.m., from 7:15 to 9:15 p.m., and from 11:15 p.m. until midnight.

Discard gloomy thoughts and try to let only happy ones occupy your mind. If you are the average person you will have a tendency to dwell either upon the past or the future. It should be just as easy to let your reflections be pleasant as to let them be disagreeable. This should be a day when it will be a comparitively easy matter to shelve your troubles and find much over which to rejoice. Auspicious conditions for formulating plans, exchanging ideas and negotiating concessions are apt to prevail. You can expect a remarkable number of people to display evidence of their friendship in some way as well as indications that they possess an unsuspected amount of sentiment. In personal affairs some very favorable changes are apparently going to take place, and a great deal of anxiety will be relieved. The average person will, in all likelihood, experience a feeling of calmness and will dislike being hurried or upset by having to listen to any kind of complaint. Married and engaged couples, and those in a sentimental mood should not keep to themselves on this day, but should permit others to share some social diversion with them.

If you are a woman and February 3 is your birthday, you should have a happy, carefree disposition and a fondness for social life. You are probably very artistic, with a skill for arranging things in a manner that will reflect excellent taste. You may, sooner or later, enjoy many cultural advantages. Through some queer twist of fate you may find yourself in a most satisfactory financial position. Try not to quarrel with relatives, for through them you may be greatly benefited. As a professional dancer, entertainer, interior decorator, milliner, modiste, actress, sculptress, sales agent, musician, singer or a writer you may win an enviable position for yourself. Your marital life is likely to be filled with sunshine and happiness.

The child born on February 3 is usually a happy, active youngster of a very forgiving, generous nature who is apt to have friends galore. With maturity will probably come many successful and worthwhile achievements.

If you are a man and February 3 is your natal day, you ought to have a refreshing amount of frankness, a strong personality and a charitable disposition. As a clergyman, newspaper man, fiction writer, actor, financier, promoter, contact man, politician, inventor, engineer, chemist, doctor, or sales representative, you should be most fortunate, particularly in the way of winning through to the goal you have set for yourself.

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